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MARK-ETA STRATEGY CHECKS JABEUR MARCH

Unseeded Marketa Vondrousova bests Ons Jabeur in straight sets, wins Wimbledon

A RESURRECTION STORY OVER MANY PARTS

The Czech, who won silver in Tokyo, has always had the potential but she has had real issues with various injuries. Last year, she had watched Wimbledon with a cast on left hand

What worked for the 24-year-old through the two weeks were her service games coupled with powerful groundstrokes from beyond the baseline. That was evident in the final as well as Jabeur who just couldn't get going after a strong start

NINTH UNSEEDED PLAYER TO WIN SLAM TITLE

- She is just the ninth unseeded champion at a Grand Slam. She is also the second lowest ranked player to reach Wimbledon final
- Serb World No. 2 Novak Djokovic has the opportunity to match Roger Federer's men's record of eight titles at SW 19 on Sunday. He faces 20-year-old Carlos Alcaraz, who he beat at the French Open P17

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VONDROUSOVA LOVES TATTOOS AND HAS INKED 13 AS HER LUCKY NUMBER

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India, UAE trade settlement deal in Re and Dirham

Payment, message systems to be interlinked; IIT Delhi campus to be set up in Abu Dhabi

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

INDIA and the UAE on Saturday agreed to start trading in their local currencies and interlink their payment and messaging systems during Prime Minister Narendra Modi's day-long visit to Abu Dhabi. Besides, an IIT Delhi campus will be set up in UAE's capital.

The warmth of the bilateral ties was on full display as UAE President Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan welcomed Modi with an embrace at the presidential palace. They also exchanged friendship bands.

"The manner in which ties between our countries have expanded, you have made a big contribution to that. Every person in India views you as a true friend," the prime minister told the UAE President.

"Trade in local currencies is a very important aspect of India-UAE cooperation. It paves the way for enhanced economic collaboration and will make international financial interactions simpler," Modi said. This was his fifth visit to UAE in the past eight years.

India-UAE trade rose to $85 billion in 2022, making the UAE India's third-largest trading partner for the year 2022-23 and India's second-largest export destination. India is the UAE's second largest trading partner. In February 2022, India became the first country with which the UAE signed a CEPA. Bilateral trade has increased by about 15% since the CEPA came into force on May 1, 2022.

The two leaders reaffirmed their joint commitment to fight extremism and terrorism, including cross-border terror, at both the regional and international levels.

The MoU the use of local currencies for transactions aims to put in place a Local Currency Settlement System to promote the use of INR (Rupee) and AED (Emiriti Dirham) bilaterally, an official statement said.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi and UAE President exchange friendship bands

Early birds

Peekay Intermark Limited and YES Bank became the first users for settling their gold transaction in Indian rupees under the new local currency system. Peekay also set up its payment under the bilateral CEPA

BEST OF THE BEST

IIMB tops QS global rankings in MBA courses

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

INDIAN Institute of Management, Bengaluru (IIMB), has topped the QS Global Executive MBA Rankings in India.

The QS Global Executive MBA Rankings were released on Friday. IIMB emerged as the best Indian institute offering executive MBA programmes.

The rankings determine the quality of postgraduate MBA courses offered across the world. IIMB was ranked for its two-year MBA programme for working professionals, specifically the Postgraduate Programme in Enterprise Management (PGPEM). The course is designed for middle and senior level working professionals.

This year, 199 programmes were included for assessment. The institute emerged as the 16th best in the Asia-Pacific region (APAC) and globally 43rd. IIMB bagged 63.2 points out of 100.

"We aim to provide the best learning experience to our students and place a great emphasis on their holistic growth. Our focus has been on developing leaders who can be enablers and change-makers of tomorrow. We are delighted with the QS EMBA Ranking which acknowledges our efforts in career acceleration of our students in this programme," Prof Rishikesha T Krishnan, IIMB Director, said.

The rankings are based on categories such as career outcomes, diversity, employer reputation, executive profile and thought-leadership. For IIMB, the highest scoring categories were employer reputation and career outcomes, where it bagged 81.2 and 78.3 points, respectively.

INDIA SPIN WEB IN DOMINICA

Off-spinner R Ashwin grabbed 12 wickets in the match as India took 1-0 lead with a massive innings and 141-run win in the first Test against West Indies late on Friday. After his fifer in the first innings, the ace offie took seven wickets on Friday, triggering a collapse | P17

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5-wkt hauls in Tests so far by Ashwin. He is one behind Kumble's 35

DELIGHTFUL DOZEN

R Ashwin in action during the first Test against the West Indies on Friday. The off-spinner accounted for 12 scalps in the match, taking his Test tally to 486 | AFP

AMBIGUITY OVER

Cong finally decides to back AAP on ordinance

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

ENDING ambiguity on the Congress stance on the contentious Delhi ordinance, the party on Saturday said it will oppose the Modi government's assault on constitutional rights of democratically elected state governments both in Parliament and outside it.

The Centre's ordinance snatched back the powers of the Aam Aadmi Party government in Delhi over bureaucratic transfers and postings shortly after the Supreme Court ruled in AAP's favour.

The ordinance was a major point of contention between the Congress and the AAP with the former unwilling until now to catagorically announce its support on the matter.

In a related development, the Congress said the AAP is expected to participate in the second meeting of the Opposition in Bengaluru on July 17-18.

The party's decision on the ordinance was announced by AICC general secretary Jairam Ramesh after a Parliamentary Strategy Group meeting chaired by Sonia Gandhi here.

As far as I know, AAP is one of the 24 Opposition parties that will attend Bengaluru meeting

Jairam Ramesh

When asked whether the Congress will oppose the National Capital Territory of Delhi (Amendment) Bill, 2023, which will be brought in Parliament in the upcoming monsoon session to replace the ordinance, Ramesh said, "The Congress has always fought against the Modi government's assault on the constitutional rights and responsibilities of democratically elected state governments. We have opposed it in Parliament and we will continue to oppose it."

EXPRESS READ

Big relief for KSE in contractor suicide case

Bengaluru: In a major relief for BJP leader KS Eshwarappa, the People's Representatives Court has upheld the B report filed in the suicide case of Belagavi-based contractor Santosh Patil. Eshwarappa was accused of abetting Patil's suicide | P4

Registration for Gruha Lakshmi from July 19

Bengaluru: Registration for the Gruha Lakshmi scheme will start from Wednesday. It will be launched by Chief Minister Siddaramaiah. People can register at around 11,000 centres, including Grama One and Karnataka One | P4

CUET-UG RESULTS

Over 22K score 100 percentile

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

MORE than 22,000 candidates scored 100 percentile in the Common University Entrance Test-Undergraduate (CUET-UG), the results of which were announced by the National Testing Agency (NTA) on Saturday.

"In subjects such as Accountancy, Biology, Business Studies, Economics, English, History, and Political Science, more than 1,000 students got 100 percentile scores," University Grants Commission (UGC) chairperson M Jagadesh Kumar said. English, Biology and Economics have the highest number of top scorers.

However, not everyone is happy. Many took to social media to criticise the scoring system, saying their raw scores were much higher than the calculated aggregate or normalised scores that are provided to more than 250 participating universities.

"I was getting 758 as a raw score in CUET, now that score dragged down to 681 that's minus 77. This is a serious issue," a candidate tweeted. Responding to the criticism, Sadhana Parashar, senior director of NTA said, "The performance of every candidate has been evaluated using the equi-percentile method wherein normalised marks of each candidate have been calculated using the percentiles of each group of students in a given session across multiple days for the same subject."

Nearly 14.99 lakh students registered and 11.11 lakh appeared for the exam.

Property papers at doorstep soon

Kids' views for Brand B'luru

Children's views will be taken while chalking out the Brand Bengaluru policy. Shivakumar said the government has directed authorities to organize meetings with high school and college students and hold debate competitions to record their views.

PURAN CHOUDHARY @ Bengaluru

DEPUTY Chief Minister DK Shivakumar on Saturday said that the state government has decided to introduce a system where property documents will be delivered at one's doorstep in Bengaluru.

Revealing this to the media on the sidelines of a meeting with members of various resident welfare associations (RWAs) to promote Brand Bengaluru, Shivakumar, who is also Bengaluru Development Minister, said all private and government properties in the jurisdictions of Bangalore Development Authority and Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike will be digitized and mapped for the purpose.

He said stern action will be taken against those not paying property tax and misusing their land. "Each property will be mapped using technology. I have asked BBMP and BDA officials to scan and digitize property documents in a phased and time-bound manner." P5

LIFE-GIVER

Groundwater level up in parts of Karnataka

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

REJUVENATION of lakes and tanks and clearing clogged water channels have significantly helped in increasing the groundwater levels in the state in the last 10 years.

According to the latest report by the Groundwater Directorate and Karnataka Groundwater Authority, the groundwater levels in 201 places went up during the period and saw a dip in

32 observatory borewells in 233 taluks under observation till 2022.

The two departments assessed the data collected during the 10-year period in the selected taluks.

"The groundwater levels have increased after work on rejuvenation of lakes and tanks and filling them with water, and clearing the clogged water channels to ensure free flow of water into water bodies was taken up in Kolar, Channapattana and other taluks," Ramachandraiah, director of the authority, told *The New Sunday Express*.

He said the state government, gram panchayats and local environmental activists undertook this work. A thorough study of groundwater levels is on.

The report stated that the groundwater level increased by 50.12 metres, the highest, in Kolar. Chincholli in Kalaburagi district topped the list of taluks as far as decline in the level is concerned. The level dipped by 7.42m in Chincholli. P5

The number of observatory borewells has to be increased in view of over exploitation of groundwater

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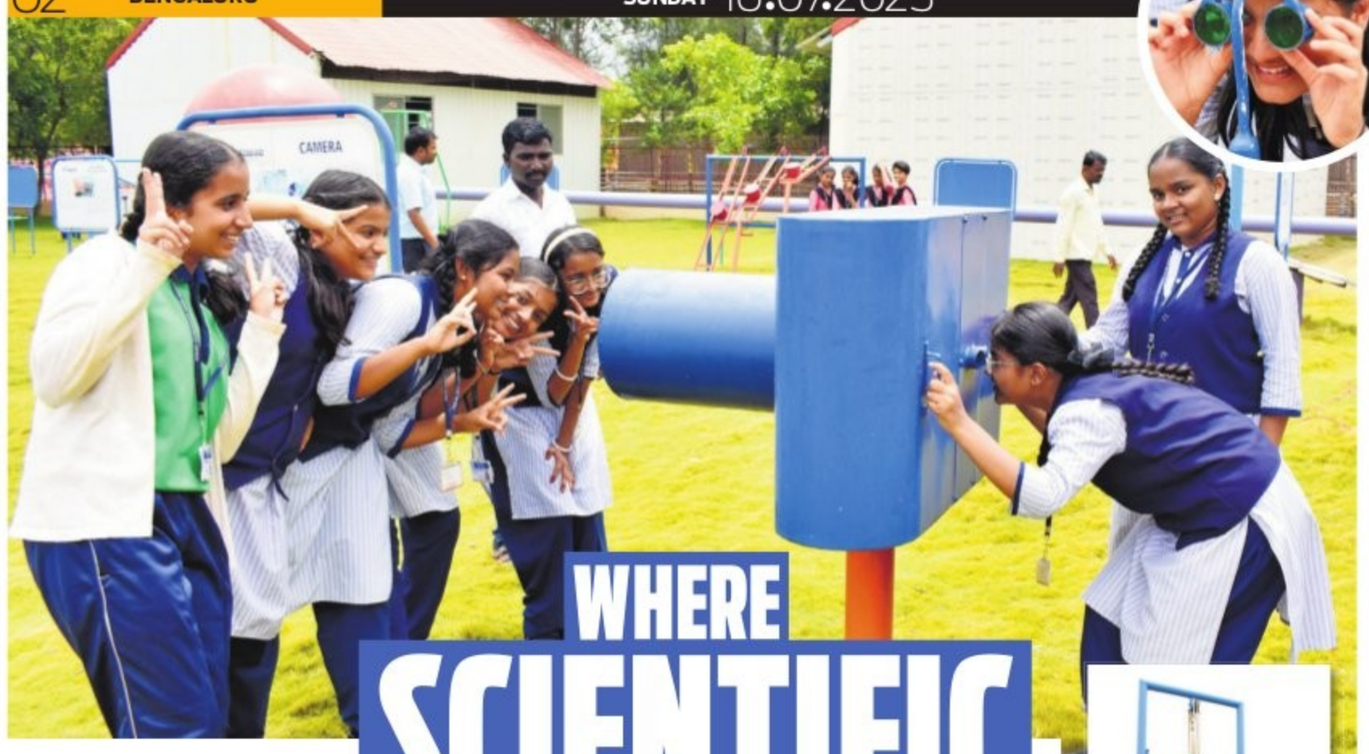

WHERE SCIENTIFIC TEMPER BLOOMS

Chikkatti School in Gadag has a unique Science Park, and invites government school students for a free visit

RAGHOTTAM KOPPAR @Gadag

THE Science Park in front of Gadag's Chikkatti School, said to be the first of its kind in North Karnataka, holds a wealth of information for young and curious minds. Its 31 models teach Science principles through practical methods, with enthusiastic students eager to learn and also explain how each one works.

The Science Park is spread across nearly one acre, and Rs 30 lakh was spent to buy the necessary items for the park. The cherry on the sundae is that entry is free. The park was to start with a few models in 2019, but was put off due to the pandemic and opened two years later.

School founder SY Chikkatti wants his students to learn science through the models, and invites government school students, private school students and other interested people to visit the park. Chikkatti School students spend their free time here, satisfying their curiosity and learning new things. The science models demonstrate popular laws of science like Newton's Law, Optical Illusion, Barton's Pendulum, Centrifugal Force etc. They also explain about each model to the visitors. Videos of the models are shared on social media for students who aren't lucky enough to visit Gadag. All videos are posted on the official Facebook page of Chikkatti Group of Institutions.

Ramya Bommanahalli, a student of Chikkatti School, said, "We are happy to have a Science Park in our premises. We have studied about all 30 models and can now explain each model to visitors. Students of Classes 9, 10 and PU coordinate with visitors, based on their free periods. Many students enjoyed the Optical Illusion, Heat Perception, Barton's Pendulum, Musical Pipes and other models and took selfies with them too."

Yusuf Yeragudi, Ramya Tadahal and Drishti Jadar, students of Class 9, said they were glad their school has a unique Science Park. "Heat perception is one of the good models here. On hot, sunny days, one can see the heat on different coloured circular plates, white always has the lowest temperature and black has the highest. There is a sympathetic swing in which if one starts swinging, another swing automatically starts on its own, and it's based on science. There is another called 'Reflection of Sound'. There are two parabolic dishes at one end of the park and a hollow sphere is another end. Here, one can speak with another person standing at another sphere, it works on the principle that sound waves also travel as a reflection, similar to light waves," they said enthusiastically.

Vikas Mareguddi and Ganesh Parasannavar, government school students who recently visited Science Park said, "The Park is nice and we learnt many things. We are happy to have a Science Park which can't be found in any school of North Karnataka. We are thankful to Chikkatti Sir for allowing us here, and we want to tell other government school students to come here too. It's good that there's no entry fee." Many people have asked the founder why he spent Rs 30 lakh and then made entry free. Chikkatti said that students from North Karnataka will lag behind if they are not exposed to such practical classes.

"I don't think it's a financial burden, but an opportunity for thousands of students to learn new concepts. I have also decided to keep it free for all government schoolchildren who can spend time here, and our students and teachers will explain about the models to them. Anybody can visit the Science Park. Many parents, nearby villagers, travellers and students come here. It takes two to three hours to see all the models," adds Chikkatti.

Interesting models at Science Park

Parabolic Dishes, 3D Pendulum, Centrifugal Force, Archimedes Screw, Angular Momentum, Heat Perception, Gear (transmission), Gyroscope, Cycloid Path, Echo Tube, Creator and Mound, Colour Contrast, Optical Illusion, Inclined Plane, Loop the Loop, Motion Perception, Musical Pipes, Newton's Colour Disc, Scale model of Solar System, Principal of Lever, Pull Yourself Up, Sympathetic Swing, Uphill Cone, Sun Dial and many more

Students learn while having fun at Chikkatti School's Science Park near Gadag | EXPRESS

Vidushi Shashikala Dani, a renowned jal tarang player from Hubballi, has enthralled audience with her mesmerising musicality

Bowlful of music

SAKSHI KULKARNI @Hubballi

IN a world where music takes on various forms, one artist stands out for her exceptional talent and mastery of a unique instrument. Vidushi Shashikala Dani, a renowned jal tarang player from Hubballi, has captivated the audience with her mesmerising performances and profound musicality.

With each delicate touch and harmonious ripple of water, the 63-year-old brings to life the enchanting melodies of the jal tarang. She is a multi-instrument artiste with concert and teaching experience in jal tarang, harmonium, sitar, violin, dilruba and tabla. She is India's only performing female Hindustani jal tarang Doordarshan and All India Radio-graded artiste.

The jal tarang, an Indian percussion instrument, derives its name from jala (water) and tarang (waves). It consists of a set of porcelain bowls of varying sizes, partially filled with water. When struck gently with bamboo sticks, each bowl produces a distinct note, creating a harmonious symphony of tunes.

This ancient instrument has a rich historical significance, and Shashikala has become one of the few artists keeping the tradition alive. With a plethora of achievements, awards and accolades, she has carved a prominent place for herself in the realm of Hindustani classical music.

Born into a family with a deep appreciation for music, Shashikala's journey into the world of jal tarang began at a very young age. Encouraged by her father and guru, the late Pt. DR Warang, she developed a profound love for music. It was during one of her father's jal tarang performances that Shashikala's fascination with this unique instrument took root. She recalls being mesmerised by the ethereal sounds produced by the delicate bowls of water.

At a very tender age, she recognised that this instrument and its tradition were dying. Determined to master this ancient art form, she embarked on a rigorous musical journey, immersing herself in the intricacies of playing the jal tarang . "What intrigued me the most is, all instruments have to be kept away from the water for them to produce music, whereas jal tarang is the only instrument where the waves of water produce music," says Shashikala.

Her unwavering dedication and unyielding commitment to her craft have been the driving forces behind her mastery of the jal tarang. From the early hours of the morning, when most are still asleep, she would rise at 3 am to embark on her daily practice sessions. No obstacle or challenge could deter her from pursuing her passion for music.

Even while balancing a demanding professional career, she dedicated herself to rigorous sangeet practice, investing countless hours refining her skills and deepening her musical understanding. Her sadhana (practice) of at least four hours a day is a testament to her unrelenting pursuit of excellence. Through this tireless commitment, she has honed her technique, expanded her repertoire, and delved into the depths of jal tarang's melodic possibilities.

The results of Shashikala's relentless practice and artistic exploration are evident in her captivating performances. She has graced numerous prestigious events and platforms, leaving audiences spellbound with her mastery. Whether it is the Mahila Vadya Nada Vaibhava by Kar. San. Nri. Academy, the Pt. Vinayak Torvi Music Foundation, or the International Women's Day celebration, each performance is a testament to her incredible artistry and ability to connect deeply with her listeners.

What sets Shashikala apart is her ability to seamlessly merge the nuances of Hindustani classical music with the ethereal tones produced by the water-filled bowls. Her compositions are a tapestry of intricate melodies, woven with soul-stirring improvisations that transport listeners into a realm of transcendence. With a profound understanding of ragas and a keen musical sensibility, she breathes life into each note, evoking a wide range of emotions from tranquillity to exhilaration.

Shashikala's exceptional talent and dedication have earned her numerous recognition. She has been honoured with the 'Kittur Rani Chennamma' award from the state government, 'Karnataka Kalashri' Award, and the 'Gaan Ganga' Award from Padma Vibhushan Dr Gangubai Hangal. Her performances have garnered critical acclaim and admiration from fellow musicians and critics alike, further solidifying her reputation as a virtuoso musician.

As Shashikala looks to the future, her aspirations as a jal tarang performer remain unwavering. She aims to expand the reach of this enchanting instrument and introduce it to new audiences across the globe.

She has now established Swara Naada Sangeeta Vidyalaya to teach and preach young talents. She also conducts workshops, master classes, and lecture demonstrations. Through these efforts, she strives to inspire and nurture the next generation of jal tarang players, ensuring this ancient tradition thrives for years.

Shashikala's extraordinary journey as a jal tarang player by skill, passion and unwavering dedication has left an indelible mark on the world of music. Her achievements, awards, and contributions to Jal Tarang will inspire future generations. Her story is a reminder to preserve traditional instruments and celebrate the talent of artists like Shashikala.

Vidushi Shashikala Dani guides a young enthusiast on jal tarang | DHEMANTH

Only 139 write CUET in Kannada

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ONLY 139 students wrote the Common University Entrance Test (CUET) in Kannada, according to the National Testing Agency (NTA). The NTA released the results on Saturday.

In the medium-wise breakup of candidates across all test papers, of the 13 languages offered, only 268 opted to write in Kannada, of which 139 appeared for the test. Kannada was the second lowest medium that had been opted for, behind Punjabi, for which 124 candidates registered and 82 appeared.

Meanwhile, 154 candidates opted to write the Kannada subject test, of which nine scored 100 percentile.

The NTA stated that this year it will not publish a merit list. However, the results have been sent to all participating universities which will release separate merit lists.

Parents welcome SC stay on order over fee regulation

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PARENTS have welcomed Friday's Supreme Court's stay on a judgment of the Karnataka High Court striking down certain provisions of the Karnataka Education Act, 1983, in connection with regulation of fees in private schools.

The high court case was filed by the Karnataka Unaided Management of Schools Association (KUSMA) seeking to strike down certain provisions in the act related to setting of fees by schools as well as recruitment of teaching and non-teaching staff.

However, arguing against this, the state government stated that the high court had failed to consider several previous judgments of Supreme Court on the matter, and those which were considered had been done out of context.

Various parent organisations, including the Karnataka Private School and College Parents Association Coordination Committee (KPSCPACC) and Voice of Parents Karnataka, welcomed the Supreme Court decision, calling it a positive development. However, they highlighted several issues that still needed to be addressed.

KPSCPACC President B N Yogananda said several cases are still pending in District Education Regulating Authorities (DERAs) that need to be addressed related to the exploitation of parents in setting fees.

EXPRESS READ

Land worth Rs 31cr reclaimed in last one week in B'luru Urban dist

Encroachment removal drive on government lands is in full swing in all the five taluks of Bengaluru Urban district. Following the direction of Bengaluru Urban Deputy Commissioner KA Dayanand, around 3 acres of encroached land, including five lakes, wetlands, buffer zones and drains, have been cleared. The DC said 18 guntas of encroached Gomala land in Yelahanka taluk, an acre of vacant land in Bengaluru South taluk, 12 guntas of Kharab land in Anekal taluk and 7.8 guntas of burial ground in Anekal taluk were reclaimed on Saturday. "In the last one-and-a-half-months, we have been in the process of reclaiming encroached government land. In the last one week alone, we were able to reclaim about 4 acres of land worth Rs 31 crore," said Dayanand. **ENS**

Ramaiah scholarship test for IAS aspirants

As part of the centenary year celebrations of founder-chairman Dr M S Ramaiah, the Ramaiah Officers IAS Academy will organise a scholarship test at its Heritage Building in Bengaluru on Sunday. The scholarship aims to support talented IAS aspirants. Scholarships will be provided for aspirants who secure the top 100 ranks. The programme will equip them with the necessary guidance to excel in civil services exams. For more details, contact: 080 2991289, 7397442266 or admin@roiasa.in. **ENS**

Atria Institute of Technology gets A++ accreditation from NAAC

The Atria Institute of Technology recently received A++ accreditation from National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), a government organization responsible for evaluating and accrediting higher education institutions. NAAC has awarded the institution a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 3.54. Principal Dr Aishwarya P said the institute has established itself as a leader in visionary education. The management and staff are dedicated to nurturing highly motivated graduates. She also acknowledged the role played by Chairman C S Sunder Raju and K Nagaraju, who are trustees of the institution, Kaushik Raju, technical director of Atria Group, and Dr T N Sreenivasa, VTU Registrar (Evaluation), who is former principal of the institute. **ENS**

Transport Minister Ramalinga Reddy and KSRTC MD Anbu Kumar hand over accident-relief cheques to the kin of KSRTC employees on Saturday

Kin of KSRTC drivers who died in mishaps get ₹1cr each

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TRANSPORT Minister Ramalinga Reddy on Saturday distributed accident-relief cheques of Rs 1 crore each to the families of two Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation (KSRTC) driver-cum-conductors who lost their lives in accidents.

G V Chalapathy (41), who had served in the Bengaluru division of KSRTC for 11 years, died in an accident in January, and P N Nagaraju, who served in the Hassan division for 17 years died, when his two-wheeler was hit by a car in February.

The insurance scheme comprises premium-free insurance of Rs 50 lakh from the State Bank of India and an additional insurance coverage of Rs 50 lakh from United India Insurance, with employees paying an annual premium of Rs 885. The insurance scheme applies to accidents occurring while employees are on duty as well as during off duty. It is the highest insurance in any government bus corporations in India, said Reddy.

As many as 195 suspected leprosy cases have been detected in Dakshina Kannada during the Leprosy Case Detection Campaign (LCDC) held recently. During the 15-day campaign, health workers visited a total of 4,48,670 houses and screened 18,39,020 people, of whom 195 were found with loss of sensation, silvery-white scaling and other leprosy symptoms

LOVER BRINGS FOUR MEN TO RAPE ASSAM WOMAN, ONE ARRESTED

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A 20-year-old woman from Assam filed a complaint Thursday with the Parappana Agrahara police, accusing her lover and four others of raping her. Her lover, Shahid Uddin, has been arrested. The police are gathering more details about the other four accused.

The victim told the police that she came to the city after Uddin promised to marry her. But she was locked up in a house at Doddanagamangala, and Uddin allegedly sent four others who also raped her, she said. The accused and the victim met at a park in Assam, exchanged numbers, and fell in love, the complaint said. On June 1, the accused allegedly raped her.

"The accused is also alleged to have made a video of the act on his phone. He is also accused of taking her nude pictures. The victim claims she found out that the accused was in a relationship with another woman. When she asked him, he allegedly beat her with a belt. Then, he is said to have locked her up inside a house and sent four unidentified men who also reportedly raped her," said an officer, quoting the victim's statements.

She has told the police that she managed to escape from the house and sought help from a couple. They accompanied her to the police station to file a complaint. A case of gang rape, and human trafficking along with other sections of the IPC has been registered.

EXPRESS READ

Two robbed of gold worth ₹2.1 crore

Bengaluru: A jeweller, Raj Jain, has filed a complaint with the Cottonpet police after his nephew and an employee were robbed of gold jewellery worth Rs 2.1 crore near the Mysuru Road flyover on Wednesday evening. The victims, Adithya Chowpad and Menon, had kept the gold in a bag and were going on a two-wheeler, when the two accused came on another bike and pushed their vehicle and escaped after snatching the bag from them.

Up funds to state for scheme: Min to Centre

Bengaluru: Health Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao has appealed to Union Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya to increase the financial incentive provided to states by 24%, for the Ayushmann Bharat Arogya Karnataka Yojana. Currently, the Centre only provides 36% of funds, while the remaining 64% is by the state. "If the Centre provides 60% financial assistance to the scheme, it can be effectively delivered to more people," he said.

Two held with ganja worth ₹12 cr

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SLEUTHS attached to the women and narcotics squad of the Central Crime Branch (CCB) have arrested two interstate drug peddlers, including an MBA graduate, and have recovered around 1,500 kg of ganja worth around Rs 12 crore from them. The accused were selling the drug by packaging it in e-commerce platforms, and were transporting it in a goods vehicle by creating a secret compartment.

The accused are identified as Chandrabanu Bishnoi, the MBA graduate from Rajasthan, and Lakshmi Mohan Das, a BA graduate from Andhra Pradesh. The two were using multiple registration numbers for the goods vehicle to avoid getting caught.

The details of the two were revealed by another peddler arrested by the Chamarajpet police. The CCB sleuths camped near Visakhapatnam for over three weeks and managed to arrest the two suspects.

Bengaluru City Police Commissioner B Dayananda looks at the ₹12-crore ganja haul in Bengaluru on Saturday | EXPRESS

ONLINE OFFENDERS

Cybercrime forms 20% of all cases in state, says Saleem

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DIRECTOR General of Police CID MA Saleem said Saturday that of the total police cases registered in Karnataka, over 20 per cent are related to cybercrime.

The trend indicates that a majority of these crimes are committed by the uneducated and they come from the regions which are not economically developed, he said.

Speaking at a seminar on 'Cybersecurity - Potential of Artificial Importance' organised by the Federation of Karnataka Chambers of Commerce and Industries (FKCCI), he said that fake apps have been created in the names of the government's guarantee schemes like Gruha Jyoti and Gruha Lakshmi and vigil have been stepped up against such apps, he said. "There are around 45 types of cybercrime which have been reported in the like cyberbullying, trolling, revenge porn, skimming, phishing and others. College dropouts, unemployed youths from regions like North Karnataka top the list of cybercriminals," Saleem said, adding that in cyber crimes, not just the rich but the poor are also the target.

However, around 70 per cent of the cases have been detected, he said, adding, "Karnataka is leading in handling cybercrime, but there is need for more improvement."

He urged private companies not to compromise their data protection and ensure their firewall is intact to prevent data breach.

BV Gopal Reddy, FKCCI president, said that cyber attackers are using sophisticated techniques to launch ransomware attacks and and make money through ransoms. With the technological advancements, automated and sophisticated cyber-attacks are accelerating, and stressed the need to adopt cybersecurity solutions and services.

Lokayukta cops catch accused after 15-km chase

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A FOOD inspector was chased for around 15 km Friday night by a team of Lokayukta police after he escaped from a trap. The accused Mahanthe Gowda B Kadabalu, the food inspector at Bengaluru North tahsildar's office at Kandaya Bhavan on Kempegowda Road in the city, had demanded Rs 1 lakh bribe from the complainant Rangadhamaiah, and accepted Rs 12,000 advance, said a Lokayukta police statement. A complaint was registered under the Prevention of Corruption Act.

The Lokayukta police team laid a trap and tried to nab him while accepting a bribe of Rs 43,000 near an apartment on Tumakuru Road but he escaped in his car. The team, led by inspector Srikanth S chased him for around 15 km and surrounded him near Sondekoppa Road near Nelamangala. The accused tried to allegedly run over the witnesses (panchas) and officers.

However, the trap team managed to block the accused's car with another vehicle and detained him with the bribe.

Later, the Lokayukta police reported an incident of assault on a public servant while discharging duty with the Nelamangala town police station.

AS MONSOON SETS IN, DEMAND FOR FLU VACCINATIONS UP

NAMRATA SINDWANI @ Bengaluru

THE rise in vector-borne and water contamination-related ailments has resulted in more people coming forward to take flu vaccines as a precautionary measure in Bengaluru.

Arrival of monsoon in the state has triggered mosquito breeding leading to a spike in dengue cases along with typhoid and hepatitis A. People have become more cautious post the pandemic and consider taking precautionary measures now, said Dr Parimala V Thirumalesh, Senior Consultant (neonatology and paediatrics), Aster CMI Hospital. Not just individuals, but entire families are seen taking flu shots lately. In the last one week, 25-30 shots were administered, while doctors are expecting a higher footfall in the upcoming days and are keeping sufficient stock.

Previously, doctors would advise only high-risk patients to get the flu shot, but now all are advised to take the shot every year. Dr Parimala said more than the routine vaccines, people are seen prioritising the flu shots now. Though the vaccine has only 70 per cent efficacy, it reduces the severity and would not cause serious ailments and prevents spreading diseases to vulnerable populations, she added.

Doctors are also pushing people to get vaccinated as the situation will remain the same for the next two to three months. Across Fortis Hospitals in Bengaluru, 20-30 patients are getting vaccinated daily.

Reopening of schools has also been another factor for a surge in demand, Dr Jagadish Hiremath, chairman, AASRA Hospitals, explained, "We have observed a 30 percent spike in demand for flu vaccinations in the last two weeks." Though the vaccine is helpful, doctors stressed upon maintaining a healthy diet and taking efforts towards improving natural immunity. It is very crucial as people are exposed to eating junk food and not exercising regularly which worsens a person's condition.

The state Health Department too is keeping a watch for a possible rise in cases as the neighbouring Kerala has witnessed a spike in the last few days. No uncertain spike has been seen in the state this year till now.

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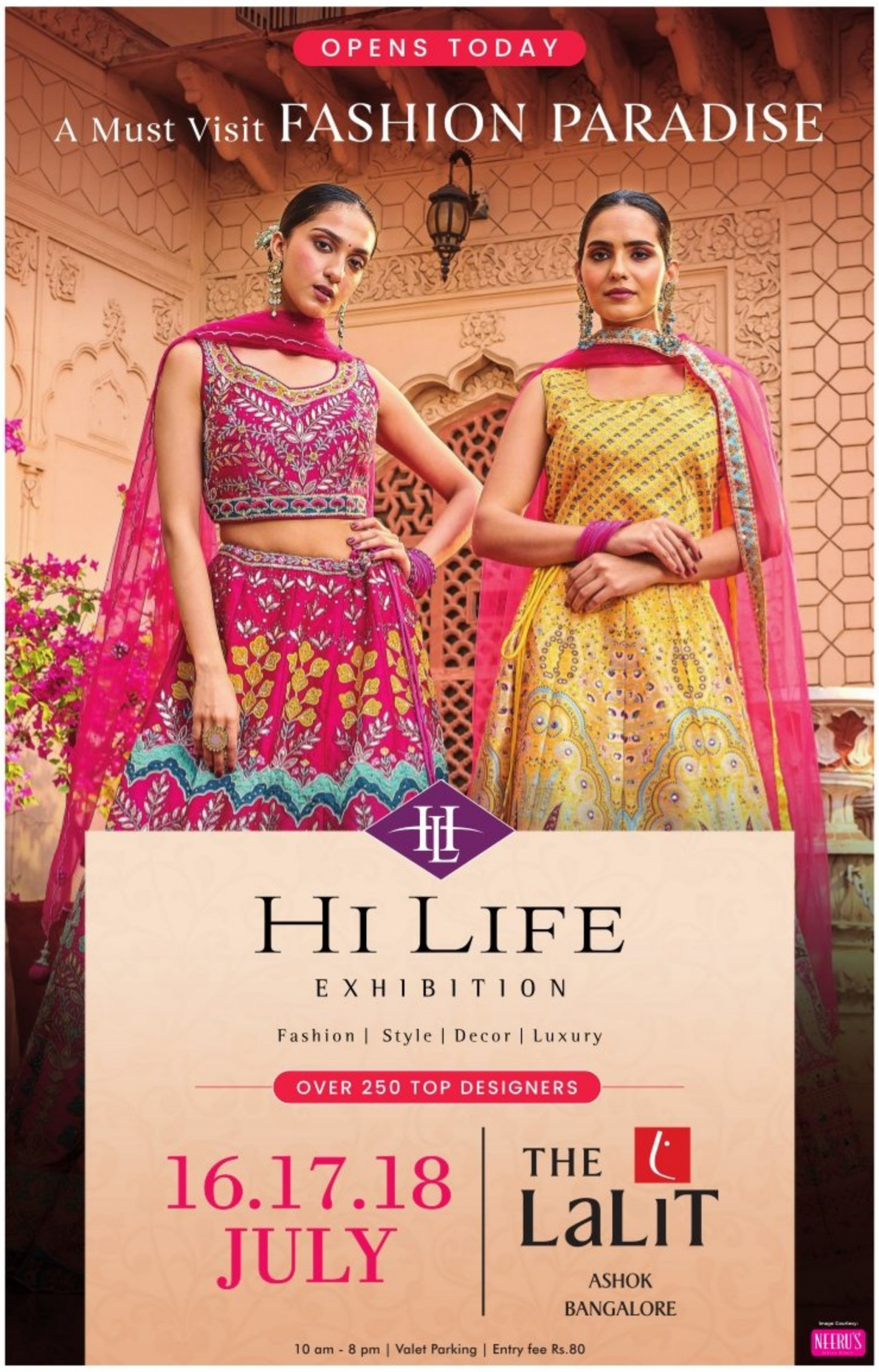

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G20 India Sherpa Amitabh Kant said PM Narendra Modi has proposed to include the African Union in the ranks of G20 member states during India's chairmanship of the G20 Summit, which was fully supported by all the member states at the Third Sherpa meeting in Hampi on Saturday

'ANNA BHAGYA IMPACT WILL BE KNOWN IN A YR'

EXPRESS Dialogues

THE state government, which is giving Rs 170 cash per person per month, instead of 5 kg rice under the Anna Bhagya scheme, is confident of procuring required quantities of the foodgrain soon. In an interaction with the staff of The New Sunday Express, Food & Civil Supplies Minister **KH Muniyappa** speaks about the government's plans. Excerpts:

How is the implementation of 'Anna Bhagya' going on? If the Centre is not giving rice, what is Plan B?
We will start procuring rice in a couple of months. We will give money for one or two months and after that start providing rice. We have been following it up with agencies, like NAFED, NCCF, Kendriya Bhandar, the state's food corporation, marketing federation, and consumer federation. We will also call for open tenders in a week. We have been spending the money on 1.29 crore BPL and AAY card holder families, which have 4.42 crore beneficiaries. The cost involved is Rs 841 crore per month and Rs 10,097 crore per year. The allocation has been made in the budget and we will get the approval this week.
The Centre indulged in politics over rice as the minister concerned did not give me an appointment at the first instance. The Centre has a stock of 262 lakh tonnes of rice, while it needs 135 lakh tonnes to distribute to the entire country. Though we were ready to pay and FCI officials were committed, the Centre did a volte-face.

Doesn't the Centre's policy of discontinuing the sale apply to all states? BJP leaders say decision was taken in May..
When there is surplus, they should distribute it to states. The FCI policy is to procure rice from states that produce surplus and distribute it among those who do not produce the foodgrain. There is a circular to this effect. They indulged in politics and created problems as the Anna Bhagya scheme could have worked in Congress' favour in the Lok Sabha elections. When Manmohan Singh was PM, he did not discriminate against any state.

There is a view that guarantee schemes will make people lazy...
Giving food to someone hungry will not make them lazy. We will know the impact of the scheme after some time. We agree that every individual should work to earn his food and eke out a living. We should watch on how things pan out and see whether production increases or people become lazy. We will get that assessment in 2024-25 and, if need be, we can take corrective measures. The reason for implementing the project is to not let anyone go hungry.
Look at MNREGA. It had a great impact as the number of BPL families came down from 47 per cent in 2004, before the UPA government came to power, to 35% by 2014. That helped spur development in rural areas. The Anna Bhagya and other guarantees too are similar schemes.

There are over four crore BPL cards as against the population of seven crore in a developed state like Karnataka. How many are genuine beneficiaries?
This issue has been deliberated upon. We have started reality checks and the secretary concerned has been assigned the task. Not all holders use their cards for foodgrains. There are many who use the cards for medical purposes. We are planning to resolve this issue. Yet, already 3 lakh more people have applied for BPL cards.

How many got the money under the Anna Bhagya scheme?
As of July 13, about 28,996 families with BPL and AAY ration cards with 99,05,482 beneficiaries were paid Rs 162.93 crore. The process is on.

What was the basis for announcing the 10 kg free rice scheme?
We have to calculate the requirement per person per month. People also told us that the rice given to them was not sufficient and many suggested that it should be increased to 10 kg. Accordingly, we will give 8 kg of rice and 2 kg of ragi or jowar per person per month.

Former chief minister Basavaraj Bommai accused the state government of reducing 5 kg of rice coming from the Centre to 3 kg...
Bommai has not studied the issue completely. The rice and ragi are given by the Food Corporation of India. They buy ragi from us and put it into the central pool. Then, they distribute it to whichever state requires it. We asked for ragi. It is not new and we have been doing it for many years. Of the 5 kg that the Centre promised, it is giving 3 kg rice and 2 kg ragi. It is nothing to do with the state.

Will you add pulses, sugar and other items?
No. There is no such proposal now. The cost factor will come into play.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah has alleged that the Centre is not giving rice to Karnataka, but diverting it to manufacture ethanol...
We told them we will purchase rice at Rs 34 per kilo, but they refused. We told them we will pay Rs 10,000 crore annually and they rejected it. With the money, they could have given a good minimum support price to growers and that would have helped the government too. At the same time, the rice would have been consumed. They made it political and that was what the chief minister explained. The Centre's intention was not good.

There is talk that the quality of rice being distributed is not good...
No, the quality is good and there are no complaints at all.

The government is focusing more on implementing guarantees and will that impact development works?
No, not at all. We have made all the preparations. The chief minister presented the budget for the 14th time. He is an expert and there won't be any financial constraints for development works. He has balanced it well and also given importance to development works. For the next eight months, we require Rs 35,000 crore for guarantees. We have already launched three guarantees and other two will follow soon.

How are the prospects for Congress in the 2024 LS polls?
In Karnataka, we are confident of winning over 20 out of 28 Lok Sabha seats. BJP failed to fulfill the promises made to the people. They came to power at the Centre in 2014 and 2019 by vertically dividing the country on religious lines. But it won't work the third time. We have already started working.

What is the basis for your confidence?
The people have realised that their lives and livelihoods are more important than sentiments. I was a Lok Sabha member even during 2014-19 when Narendra Modi was the prime minister for the first time. He made a lot of promises, including two crore jobs, Rs 15 lakh in every citizen's account etc. But the government did not keep its word. Compared to our UPA, the Modi government did not do anything significant. When UPA was in power, then prime minister Manmohan Singh waived off farmers' loans to the tune of Rs 72,000 crore, while the Modi government waived off the loans of corporates to the tune of Rs 15,000 crore. Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman did not say how she managed. We had imposed the import duty on silk at 15%, but the Modi government reduced it by 5% which hurt our silk farmers. We had implemented many groundbreaking schemes, including MNREGA. What have they done?

In the LS polls, the country's security and foreign policies are also the major issues...
Yes, I agree that these are also important factors. The Prime Minister has developed a good relationship with many countries. But we have to keep our house in order.

Will guarantees help the Congress win more seats in Karnataka?
Not guarantees alone. The mistakes committed by the Modi government, including demonetisation which was of no use, will help us. We are showing our commitment by reaching the schemes to the people. We have not implemented the guarantees for the sake of elections. Any popular elected government should look after common people and those deserving.

As a food and civil supplies minister, what are your views on the increase in prices of tomatoes and other vegetables? What is the solution?
Because of excessive use of fertilisers, diseases hit the plants and the production was low. At the same time, the consumption was high.

There is no opposition leader in the Assembly. How is Congress viewing this?
They should have done it much earlier or at least before the beginning of the Assembly session. The opposition should be strong and it is the shadow government. If the opposition is strong, the government will be alert and function more effectively. That is a natural phenomenon. In a democratic system, there should be a leader of opposition in both Houses (Assembly and Council). It is good for them to make the appointments at the earliest.

Your views on Rahul Gandhi's disqualification in a defamation case?
This is vendetta politics by BJP. This has never happened during any government. Even common people are talking about it. A Parliament member was removed for asking a question in Parliament. Was such a move needed? In a democratic system, the opposition should also be strong. Denying an opportunity to talk is not good for democracy. Their action was not good. Now there is a Supreme Court, and I hope we will get justice.

Effective Oppn a must for good governance

POLITICAL RADAR

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CONGRESS hopes to script its national revival from Karnataka and play a bigger role in bringing non-BJP parties together ahead of the 2024 Lok Sabha polls. Victory in the May 10 assembly polls has given it much-needed confidence and acceptance among the opposition parties, which will meet in Bengaluru next week to discuss a broader strategy to take on the BJP.

On the contrary, the BJP which currently holds 25 out of 28 Lok Sabha seats in Karnataka and considers the state as its gateway to the South is yet to come to terms with its defeat in the assembly polls. Over two months after the elections, the party is yet to appoint Leaders of Opposition (LoP) in the State Legislative Assembly and Council. Perhaps, for the first time, the all-important budget session of the state Legislature is being held without an LoP in the assembly, despite the opposition having the numbers required to get the position, which is also considered the Shadow Chief Minister's post. The budget session that started on July 3 will end next week.

The BJP's failure to appoint an LoP has hit the party's image and sent a wrong message to its cadre as well as the people of the state at large. As an opposition party, BJP lost an opportunity to go hammer and tongs at the Siddaramaiah government over several issues, including the delay in implementing the guarantees. The guarantee schemes came with a plethora of conditions, contrary to what the Congress' top leaders promised in the run-up to the polls.

Not having an LoP disarms the opposition and jeopardises its efforts to come up with a coordinated strategy to ensure that the government delivers what it had promised to the people. Some senior BJP legislators, including former chief minister Basavaraj Bommai and former Union minister Basangouda Patil Yatnal, did try to put up spirited arguments in the assembly on many occasions.

Such attempts could have had a much better impact if there was a coordinated strategy with an LoP and a team of senior leaders working on a clear plan of action.

The LoP is not entirely an internal issue of the BJP. The party that won 66 seats is expected to play the role of a constructive opposition. It has to effectively represent people's concerns and highlight the government's shortcomings, if any. Such a role of the opposition to keep tabs on the government becomes even more crucial when any party comes to power with a massive mandate.

Ironically, the BJP's indecisiveness has become a topic of discussion not just within the political circles, but also in the Assembly and Council rubbing salt in the BJP's wounds. So much so the Congress often uses it as a weapon to silence BJP members whenever they try to corner the government on the floor of the House.

The BJP central leadership may have reasons to delay the decision. One of the often-explained reasons is that it is working out a detailed plan of action keeping in mind caste, region, and other combinations before deciding on the LoP along with the appointment of a new state unit president. The incumbent state president's tenure has ended and he is on extension.

Be that as it may, the party needs to decide on it fast. The Congress is carefully crafting its strategy for the 2024 Lok Sabha polls. It has already started working on its plan of winning 20 out of 28 seats. In 2019, Congress won just one seat. But, unlike in the last elections, the morale in the Congress camp is high and its leadership feels that it has found a formula to defeat BJP. In the run-up to the Lok Sabha polls, the Congress will try to maximise the factors that helped it to return to power in the state. Similar strategies are also likely to be adopted by Congress in other states.

The challenge is much bigger for BJP as it tries to retain 25 seats. It has to counter Congress' consistent efforts to set a narrative and build a perception in its favor. Going by Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and other senior Congress leaders' tirades against the Modi government, they seem to be working with a clear strategy to prepare the stage for the big battle in 2024.

The BJP needs to act fast and decisively to retain its hold on the only bastion in the South.

God's blessing, says KSE after court relief

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RESPONDING to the Special Court of Representatives, Bengaluru verdict in connection with the suicide case of contractor Santosh Patil, former deputy CM KS Eshwarappa said, "With the blessing of our Kuladevathe Chowdeshwari, I have been proved innocent in court."

He said the verdict has motivated him to work for the party at the state and national levels. District BJP president, TD Megharaj, said the verdict has proved Eshwarappa's innocence, who had set a standard for other politicians by resigning the post of a minister when allegations were made against him. "It's a special day for the BJP. Congress leaders, unable to handle the achievements of the BJP and Eshwarappa, hatched a conspiracy against him. They tarnished the image of a leader and the government," he said.

He alleged that the Congress leaders used Kempanna, president of Contractors' Association and Patil's suicide for political gains, and targeted Eshwarappa. MLA Chennabasappa said, "Lakhs of party workers, who were in pain, are now happy. This verdict is a slap on Congress' face, who had constantly mocked the BJP government as 40 per cent government and targeted our leader Eshwarappa."

2024 OVERTURES

Ahead of NDA meet, buzz around HDK striking deal with BJP

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI @ Bengaluru

WITH former chief minister H D Kumaraswamy dropping hints of JDS' potential alliance with the BJP for the 2024 Lok Sabha election, political circles are abuzz about him visiting the national capital soon and deliberating with the BJP top brass in this regard.

"There is a feeling among people that the JDS should ally with the BJP... We will discuss within the party and take a decision," he had told to a private TV channel on Friday, indicating that the option for his party to ally with the BJP is open. After the Assembly polls, he is said to have met Union Home Minister Amit Shah in New Delhi. Now, with the BJP scheduled to hold a meeting of NDA partners in New Delhi on July 18, speculation is rife about Kumaraswamy also calling on Shah, so that he can pitch his claim for 5-6 LS seats for the JDS in the Old Mysuru region.

In the 2019 LS polls, the JDS went in alliance with the Congress and won only one seat -- Hassan, while the Congress also won just one seat, with the BJP sweeping 25 seats. In Mandya, Sumalatha Ambareesh had won as an independent, defeating the Congress-JDS alliance candidate, Nikhil Kumaraswamy.

This time around, the JDS, which is facing an 'existential crisis', is likely to go with the BJP, according to sources.

Even in the Assembly, Kumaraswamy had stated that for the survival of the regional party, he had to weigh in options, and indirectly, said that even the BJP is not averse to the JDS for an alliance. In fact, he had helped the BJP get to power in the state for the first time in 2006, as he had allied with the saffron party. He became chief minister of that alliance government, with BJP's B S Yediyurappa as his deputy.

Shakti ate away over 50% biz, rue travel operators

Bengaluru: The Federation of Private Travel Operators have demanded that the state government reimburse them as well, as it is doing with the state-owned bus corporations, under the Shakti scheme, citing that they have lost more than 50 per cent of their business. Federation members said they will be submitting a memorandum to Transport Minister Ramalinga Reddy soon, and added that they will give an ultimatum of one week from the time of submission for the government to reply, failing which they will protest from July 28.

CM to launch Gruha Lakshmi registration on July 19

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CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah will launch the registration for the ambitious 'Gruha Lakshmi' guarantee scheme to give Rs 2,000 per month to women heads of around 1.28 crore families across the state, at the Banquet Hall in Vidhana Soudha at 5 pm on July 19.

In fact, Congress had plans of getting AICC former president Sonia Gandhi to launch the app for the registration of beneficiaries, but fearing that it may spark a controversy, the government decided to get it done by the chief minister as it is not a party programme but the government's, sources told *TNIE*.

Women and Child Welfare Minister Laxmi Hebbalkar on Saturday admitted to inviting Sonia Gandhi, but did not reveal the reason for dropping the idea. Unlike the registration for other guarantees, including the 'Gruha Jyothi' where up to 200 units of free electricity will be given to households and 'Anna Bhagya' free rice scheme that could be done through Seva Sindhu app on their smartphones, beneficiaries under 'Gruha Lakshmi' have to visit specific centres or give details to volunteers.

Women and Child Welfare Minister Laxmi Hebbalkar addresses a press conference at Vidhana Soudha in Bengaluru on Saturday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

"For every 1,000 population, a male and a female 'praja pratinidhi' volunteers authorised by the government will register the beneficiaries at their doorsteps," she said.

Around 11,000 centres, including Grama One, Karnataka One, Bengaluru One and Bapuji Seva Kendra Service centres, have been authorised to register and if the registration is successful, beneficiaries will get an acknowledgement instantly. The beneficiary has to provide the ration card number, Aadhaar number and bank account details with the passbook, if she wishes to receive the amount in her bank account other than the one linked to the Aadhaar number. If the woman head of a family has died, the family has to furnish the death certificate and get the details updated in BPL/APL/AAY cards, showing a new head of the family. The money will be transferred on August 16 or 17 through RTGS after the official inauguration. There will be no deadline to register as it will be a regular process until the target of 1.28 crore beneficiaries is reached. The beneficiaries will be given an appointment to register at the centres. They can get the appointment by sending the message through SMS or Whatsapp to 8147 500 500. For more details, they can dial the 1902 helpline.

Every working day, 30 beneficiaries each will be registered in the morning and afternoon sessions.

"The CM, in his budget, allocated Rs 30,000 crore per annum for the scheme. I don't think it is a daunting task to implement it, but it is challenging. At present, beneficiaries cannot download the 'Gruha Lakshmi' app on their own and register individually," she said.

Tamil Nadu BJP state president K Annamalai on Saturday wondered why the DMK MPs meeting chaired by CM MK Stalin failed to adopt a resolution condemning the Karnataka government for its failure to release Cauvery water due to Tamil Nadu on time

Chandrayaan 3 thrusters fired, Moon journey commences

First attempt across all countries in landing on South Pole of the Moon

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THE Chandrayaan-3 has begun firing its onboard thrusters, beginning its 41-day journey towards the Moon.

The Chandrayaan-3 launched on Friday will make its journey to attempt a soft landing on the Moon. This is the third mission in the Chandrayaan programme, India's lunar exploration programme. Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC) Director S Unnikrishnan Nair stated that the Launch Vehicle Mark 3 (LVM3) had fared extremely well and all conditions needed for the launch had been precisely calculated.

The Chandrayaan-3 will be attempting a soft landing on the Moon and deploying a rover to conduct various experiments on the lunar soil. It will be the first attempt across all countries in landing on the South Pole of the Moon, which has thus far remained unexplored.

Union Minister of State for Science and Technology, Department of Space and Department of Atomic Energy Dr Jitendra Singh said that the mission, and the Chandrayaan programme as a whole, has propelled India into the space sector as a global player. "Countries that have explored the Moon till now could not obtain those findings that were procured from Chandrayaan missions. Chandrayaan missions propelled India into a global player in space technology," he said.

The Chandrayaan 3 is a follow-up mission of the Chandrayaan-2 which had previously failed to deploy its lander. While the Chandrayaan-2 launch was successful, the deployment of its lander and rover was considered a failure as its lander crashed. The crucial step in attempting to soft land the lander on the lunar surface has been predicted by ISRO scientists to take place on August 23 around 5.30 pm.

EXPRESS READ

K'taka not in position to release water to TN, says Minister

MYSURU: As Tamil Nadu is demanding the Central Monitoring Committee to direct Karnataka to release Cauvery water following an increase in water level at KRS reservoir, Agriculture Minister N Chaluvarayaswamy said the monsoon has failed in the state which may lead to acute drinking water crisis. He added that he will discuss with Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shiva Kumar and decide on the issue as the state is not in a position to release water to riparian state.

Yechury: UCC will target a community

KOZHIKODE: Party general secretary Sitaram Yechury, who inaugurated the seminar on UCC organised by the party in Kozhikode on Saturday, stressed that the intention behind the proposed law is to create a Hindu-Muslim division. Yechury said different sections of the people are being exempted from the proposed UCC like the tribesmen, Christians, Sikhs and Parsis. He said a series of incidents in the past eight years have strengthened the suspicion on the intention behind the UCC. "Inter-faith marriages are discouraged, certain communities are being targeted in the name of cow protection in the BJP-ruled states, and Article 370 was abrogated to dissolve the only-Muslim majority state in India," he said.

G20 meet: Hampi's roads get makeover

The new road which was constructed in front of Virupaksha temple after the announcement of the G20 meet in Hampi

KIRAN BALANNANAVAR @ Hampi, Hosapete

HOSTING the G20 Summit has turned out to be a boon for Hampi on the infrastructure front. The town now has pothole-free roads, drinking water facilities and good restrooms. People say the G20 Cultural and Sherpas meeting helped the town get good basic infrastructure. In the last couple of weeks, the number of tourists has increased after hearing about the visit of G20 delegates to Hampi to attend the Cultural Working Group (CWG) and Sherpas' Meet.

As per the direction of the Union government, the Vijayanagara district administration took up development works like road repair, drinking water facilities, toilet construction and other repair works. There had been demand for these infrastructure facilities since many years. But the G20 Summit helped locals and tourists to get these amenities. "The roads on the outskirts of Hampi and Hosapete are 'shining' now. We are happy that in the name of the G20 meet, we finally got good roads," people added.

PM proposed inclusion of African Union in G20: Kant

KIRAN BALANNANAVAR @ Hosapete

G20 Sherpa of India Amitabh Kant said PM Narendra Modi has proposed inclusion of the African Union in the G20 member states during India's chairmanship of the G20 Summit which was fully supported by all the member states at the Third Sherpa meeting. Speaking here on Saturday, Amitabh Kant said if African countries join the G20, it will be like joining by most of the world and it is like a platform for the world's largest economy.

The Sherpa meeting in Hampi has succeeded in making a full draft of the agreement to be implemented in the final meeting of the G20 leaders to be held in Delhi on September 9 and 10. "In this meeting, India placed several proposals before the G20-member countries. These proposals are important in shaping global agendas and finding solutions to current global problems. The agreement points of the summit in India are more important than the agreements made in the previous G20 Summits and will contribute to the economic transformation of developed and developing countries," he said.

G20 Sherpa of India Amitabh Kant at a discussion during the Third Sherpas' Meet in Hampi

Police security for truck loaded with tomatoes

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Adilabad

POLICE provided security to a large quantity of tomatoes after the truck transporting it overturned on NH 44 near Adilabad town in Telangana. The truck was carrying a load of tomatoes from Kolar in Karnataka to New Delhi for sale. Fearing that the locals who gathered around the truck might steal the tomatoes of skyrocketing price across the country, the truck driver, Ramesh Reddy, sought police protection.

The truck was carrying 18 tonnes of tomatoes worth around Rs 22 lakh and 20% of the shipment is said to have been damaged in the accident. The mishap occurred when the driver tried to avoid hitting a two-wheeler which came in its path. Reddy, who suffered minor injuries, immediately called the police and asked for protection.

WATER WAYS

After a heavy spell of rain in Bhubaneswar, a woman and other motorists drive through flooded Cuttack road near Bomikhal Flyover on Saturday | DEBADATTA MALLICK

Borewells being drilled recklessly: Official

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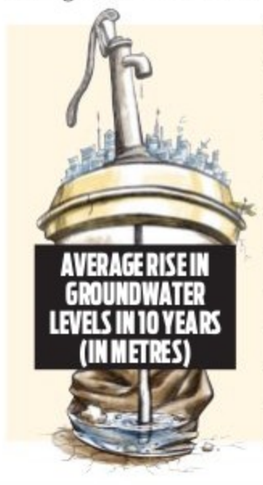
THE groundwater levels in nine taluks of Chikkamagaluru district increased between 0.38 and 11.20m. Of the seven taluks assessed in Shivamogga district, the increase was between 0.32 and 1.61m. However, the level declined by 0.53m in Thirthahalli, 0.30m in Shivamogga and 0.79m in Sagar. The report stated that the level dropped by 3.36m in east Bengaluru and increased by 14.38m in Yelahanka.

Officials from the board, however, expressed concern that groundwater is being over exploited, especially in grey areas. A thorough study of such places is needed. To address this issue, the state and central groundwater boards have plans to conduct a collective study of the groundwater table and the water level in borewells in the state, they said.

An official said the number of observatory borewells has to be increased in view of over exploitation of groundwater. Borewells are being drilled recklessly in the state with scant respect for rules and regulations, which are also not being implemented strictly.



DISTRICT	TALUK	LEVEL
Bengaluru Rural	Hosakote	23.81
Chikkabalapura	Bagepalli	29.54
Chikkaballapura	Chikkaballapura	28.66
Chikkaballapura	Gowribidanur	24.83
Chitradurga	Molakalmuru	20.59
Tumakuru	Chikkanayakanahalli	22.96
Tumakuru	Gubbi	22.04
Kolar	Kolar	50.12
Kolar	Bangarpet	40.43
Kolar	KGF	40.03

'CCTVs to be placed near garbage dumps'

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"NOBODY will be allowed to get away without paying property tax," Shivakumar said.

Referring to SM Krishna's tenure as chief minister, he said the "Bhoomi" system was introduced then across the state to deliver land records to owners at their doorstep. A similar model will be adopted.

The DyCM said everyone must abide by law as far as payment of property tax is concerned. "Bengaluru cannot develop if resources are not mobilized," he added.

During the meeting, members of RWAs raised various issues, including garbage collection and restoration of lakes. The DyCM said ward-level meetings will be held to get the views of people on the development of Bengaluru.

On the encroachment of footpaths, he said, "There is a law to regulate street vendors. Keeping in mind the interests of such vendors, a new policy will be formulated to protect the rights of pedestrians."

He said CCTV cameras will be installed in places where garbage and construction debris are being dumped in the city. Strict action will be taken against the violators.

Blast near BJP office: Court says accused contributed to delay in trial

YATHIRAJU @ Bengaluru

NOTING that the accused too have contributed to the delay in the commencing the trial in the 2013 bomb blast near BJP office at Malleswaram in Bengaluru, the special court declined to grant bail to Mohammed Salin, who is in judicial custody for the last 10 years.

The Accused No. 14, Salin (30) from Melapalyam in Tirunelveli of Tamil Nadu, has been chargesheeted under the provisions of the IPC, Explosive Substances Act, Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act and Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, by the CCB.

The public prosecutor said Salin is a member of the banned outfit Al-Umma. He is allegedly involved in many murders in TN and has killed more than 8 Hindu leaders in association with other two accused, it added.

Judge Gangadhara C M said this case was pending before the 34th Additional City Civil and Sessions Court and it was transferred to the special court on May 6, 2021. "It is true that Salin was secured before this court on May 18, 2013, and he has been in judicial custody since then, as argued by his counsel. However, he cannot blame either the court or the prosecution for the delay in the conclusion of the trial. The order sheet reveals that the accused persons have also contributed more to the delay caused in the commencement of the trial," the court said.

The court has already issued summons to the until witness No. 142. The special public prosecutor submitted that he is going to give up more than 100 witnesses up to 142 after perusing the records and will only examine the relevant witnesses to prove the case.

Translator required

The court noted that the examination of all the witnesses required some time as the accused persons held conspiracy meetings in Tamil Nadu and committed the blast in Karnataka. "This court has to secure the witnesses from Tamil Nadu. Most of the witnesses cited in the charge sheet do not know Kannada or English", it added.

The court, therefore, has to appoint a translator.

TN mulls PPP policy to raise Rs 1 L crore

C SHIVAKUMAR @ CHENNAI

TAMIL Nadu is planning to come out with a new public-private partnership policy to woo private investments worth Rs 1 lakh crore for 100 iconic projects. The policy is being framed by Tamil Nadu Infrastructure Development Board.

The state has identified seven sectors- agriculture, transport, social, industries, energy, urban amenities, and recreation- for taking up the projects under its first phase. The projects could be related to urban transportation systems, power generation, transmission, drinking water supply, health infrastructure, solid waste management, sources said.

Hit with rod, 24-yr-old man chases, catches thief

PRAVEEN KUMAR @ Bengaluru

A 24-year-old man chased and caught a 42-year-old notorious thief from Andhra Pradesh when he was fleeing on a two-wheeler.

A Asif, of Bettadasanapura in Beguru, was attacked with an iron rod during a burglary at his first-floor house between 2 pm and 3 pm Wednesday.

But he mustered courage and chased the accused, Kamepalli Srinivas, 42, of Rajahmundry in Kakinada of Andhra Pradesh, on his two-wheeler.

After locking the doors of his house, Asif had gone to collect a parcel from a delivery agent.

He returned after 15 minutes and saw the front doors were open. Srinivas was standing behind the door.

As soon as Asif entered, Srinivas kicked him and then hit him with a rod.

He tried to escape by latching the doors from outside. Asif started screaming, and the neighbours came and opened the door.

From the children playing on the road, Asif found out which way the accused had gone. Despite being kicked and attacked with a rod, the victim chased and overpowered the accused, who had taken a lift on a two-wheeler.

A woman passerby immediately called the police control room, and the Electronic City police arrested the accused.

Asif works for a road asphalting contractor and stays with his wife and two children.

"After I returned, I saw the main doors open. When I went in, the accused, hiding behind the door, hit me with an iron rod. The house was ransacked and the accused had fled with gold ornaments worth around Rs 1.15 lakh. I chased the accused on my two-wheeler and caught and handed him over to the police," Asif told TNSE.

"The gold items are intact. The accused was carrying an iron rod and a screwdriver. He told a biker he had to go to a hospital to see his brother and was given a lift," said an officer.

A case under IPC Section 459 and other sections has been registered against the accused.

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MANAPPURAM HOME FINANCE LIMITED

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POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorised officer of **Manappuram Home Finance Ltd ("MAHOFIN")** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest *[Act], 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 9 of the security interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice** calling upon the borrowers and co-borrowers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice and Interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken **Symbolic** possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said *[Act] read with rule 9 of the said rules. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Manappuram Home Finance Ltd as mentioned below for each of the respective properties:

Sr. No.	Name Of The Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Lan/Branch	Description Of Secured Asset In Respect Of Which Interest Has Been Created	Date of Demand Notice sent & Outstanding Amount	Date of possession
1	Swamy K B, Nanda Kumari C S, Madhukumar H J /Co90colons000005008109/ Mysore	Property No 3/3B Unique No 152100404700420049, G Kebbahalli Village, B Hosuru Grama Panchayathi, Mandya, P.O. Keragodu, Mandya, Karnataka, Pin: 571446	18-04-2023 & Rs. 6,04,475/-	10-07-2023

Date: 16thJuly 2023
Place: KARNATAKA

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Manappuram Home Finance Ltd

Indian Overseas Bank

Mahalakshmipuram Branch (1775):- 1335, Nalina Complex, 7th Main, 11th Cross, WOC 2nd stage, Mahalakshmipuram, Bengaluru-560086, Karnataka, Phone No.080-22950322/323, E-mail ID: iob1775@iob.in

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR E- AUCTION FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

Sale of immovable properties mortgaged to Bank under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No.54 of 2002)

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of Indian Overseas Bank has taken possession of the following properties pursuant to the notice issued under Section13(2) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 in the following loan account with right to sell the same on, **AS IS WHERE IS BASIS and AS IS WHAT IS BASIS** for realization of Bank's dues plus interest & costs as detailed hereunder and whereas consequent upon failure to repay the dues, the undersigned in exercise of power conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act proposes to realize the Bank's dues by sale of the said properties. The sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auctionplatform provided at the Web Portal www.mstcecommerce.com

Name & address of the Borrowers:
(1) M/s Crystal Enterprises, Represented by its Partners Mr.Adnan Maved and Mr. Abdul Majid Maved, No.5, BH Road, Hirehally Industrial Area, Hirehalli Post, Tumakuru, Karnataka-572168.
Name & address of the Mortgagors/Guarantors:
(1) Mr.Adnan Maved, No.22, 2nd Main Road, Muneshwara Layout, Manorayanpalya, Bengaluru-560032.
(2) Mr. Abdul Majid Maved, No.22, 2nd Main Road, Muneshwara Layout, Manorayanpalya, Bengaluru-560032.
Date of NPA: 23.11.2022
Date of Demand Notice: 28.11.2022
Dues claimed in Demand Notice: Rs.2,57,35,234/- as on 27.11.2022 with further interest & costs.
Date of possession notice: 10.02.2023
Dues claimed in Possession Notice: Rs.2,64,80,244/- as on 10.02.2023 with further interest & costs
Outstanding dues as on 12.07.2023 is Rs.2,81,89,358/- with further interest & costs
*Local Self Government (Property Tax, Water sewerage, Electricity Bills etc.): Nil as per Bank's knowledge
DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
Schedule-I: Property Belonging to Mr.Adnan Maved
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Site Nos.7,8&9, Old VP Khatha No.636/144, Assessment No.9/2, Kacharakanahalli, KasabaHobli, Bengaluru North Taluk and subsequently bearing Byatarayanapura CMC khatha No.610/912/7,8&9 now under BBMP in its Ward No.24, HBR layout bearing Municipal Khatha No.400/117/636/144/9/2/7/8&9, Kacharakanahalli situated at Yasin Nagar, Kacharakanahalli, 2nd Block, HBR Layout, Bengaluru measuring East to West: 36+31/2 ft and North to South: 77 ft in all 2580 square feet with AC Sheet House with all civic amenities, rights, etc absolute and **bounded on the:** East by: Property belongs to Smt. Salma, West by: Private Property, North by: Road, South by: Private property.
The reserve price and the earnest money deposit is:

S.No.	Security Details	Reserve Price	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)
1.	Schedule I	Rs. 2,59,96,000/-	Rs. 25,99,600/-

Date & Time of auction: **18.08.2023, 11.00 AM to 1.00 PM.** Bid increase amount: Rs.50,000/-
Auto extension time: **10 minutes,** Known Encumbrance if any: **NIL**
Inspection Date & Time: During office hours between **10:00 AM** to **05:00 PM,** from **17.07.2023 to 17.08.2023.**
Submission of online application for bid with EMD: 19.07.2023 to 17.08.2023 before 05:00 pm.
*Bank's dues have priority over the statutory dues
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Date: 13.07.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Indian Overseas Bank

Note: This may also be treated as a Notice under Rule 8(6)/ Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to the borrower/s and guarantor/s of the said loan about holding of e-auction on the above mentioned date. Bank reserves its right to defer or cancel the sale at any point of time without assigning any reason. Advertisement matter published in English will prevail in case of any discrepancy.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

O/o, THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR, HIGH COURT, MADRAS
"Corporate Bhavan" 2nd Floor, No. 29, Rajaji Salai, Chennai-600001.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1956
And
In the matter of M/s Achievers Agri India Private Limited (in Provisional Liquidation)
Company Application No. 137 of 2021
In
company Petition No. 54 of 2015

SALE NOTICE

In pursuance of the orders of the Hon'ble High Court, Madras dated **27.06.2023** made in **C.A.No.137 of 2021 in C.P. No. 54/2015,** sealed tenders are invited from the intending purchasers by the Undersigned for the purchase of the Achievers Academy Matriculation Higher Secondary School at Dharmapuri belonging to M/s. Achievers Agri India Private Limited (in Provisional Liquidation) situated at the places more fully described in the schedule in one Lot hereunder on **''As is Where is and Whatever there is condition, No warranty on title''.**

SCHEDULE - DETAILS OF THE PROPERTY

S. No	Description of the property	Location of the property	Built up area and Land (in acres)	Upset price fixed In Rs	EMD (10% of the upset price)	Date and time of inspection of the site
1	Immovable and movable assets of Achievers Academy Matriculation Higher Secondary School situated at Dharmapuri including Vehicles, Furniture & Fixtures, Good will etc.,	Sungarahalli Village, Sillarahalli Post, Pappireddipatti Taluk, Dharmapuri District Pin-635303	Building to an extend of 47,514 Sqfts. S.No 130/1 131/4A 131/4B — Extent in Acres 1.57 0.15 2.69 — 4.41	480 Lakhs	10% of the Upset Price (Rs. 48 Lakhs)	**24.07.2023** at 11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Last date for purchase of Tender Form : 01.08.2023
Last date for submission of Tenders : 02.08.2023
Date of opening of Tenders and Auction : 04.08.2023

Regarding the details of the properties and inspection of available documents, Office of the Official Liquidator may be contacted at No. 29, Rajaji Salai, Corporate Bhavan, II Floor, Chennai-600001, Office Phone No. 044 2527 1149, 2527 1151 on all working days between 11.00 a.m. and 4.00 p.m. and also during the date of inspection specified for the property as mentioned above. For terms and conditions of the present sale of school at Dharmapuri, kindly log on to **www.mca.gov.in**

Tender form to be submitted by the intended purchasers for all properties (Immovable and Movable) along with EMD of 10% of the Upset price by way of DD/Pay order drawn in favour of **''The Official Liquidator, High Court, Madras"** payable at Chennai **directly ot the O/o The Official Liquidator, High Court, Madras** on or before **02.08.2023** during office hours before 4.30 p.m.

Sealed tenders will be opened before the Hon'ble Company Court Judge, High Court, Madras on **04.08.2023.** There will be an inter-se auction among the bidders. The Sale is subject to confirmation of the Hon'ble High Court, Madras. (Please also verify terms & Conditions as stated above).

DATED AT CHENNAI THIS THE 14TH DAY OF JULY, 2023

Sd/-
KEERTHI THEJ.N, ICLS
OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR (I/C), HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

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REGIONAL OFFICE DEVENAHALLI

No. 333, Matru Arcade, 2nd Floor, BB Road, Devanahalli Town-562110, Bengalur Rural District.

MACHINERY AUCTION NOTICE

Offers Are Invited From Public For Purchase Of Below Mentioned To Be Auctioned By Canara Bank Regional Office Devanahalli-562110

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particulars to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described movable property/ies Hypothecated to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken in exercise of the power conferred under The Hypothecation Agreement by Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **31.07.2023 at 11.30 AM** for recovery of **Rs. 57,40,613.02** (Rs. Fifty Seven Lakhs Fourty Thousand Six Hundred thirteen and Two paise only as on 13.07.2023 and further interest at contractual rate from 14.07.2023 with incidental expenses, costs,charges etc due to secured creditor **Canara Bank, Golahalli Branch** due from **SHUBHAM IRRIGATION SYSTEM Properietor : Smt. ARCHANA .T .G**

Name of Branch and Contact No : **GOLAHALLI GATE BRANCH, M : 9945629385**

Name of the Borrower : **Shubham Irrigation System, Properietor : Archana .T .G Liability : Rs. 57,40,613.02**

Description of the Movable Assets (Machinery) : Twins Crew Extruder Machine WS-160, Capacity 145 KG Per Hour, Having a crew dia of 58mm along with 20HP Motor with Siemens Control. Year - 2019, Single Die Head Pipe Range 20-90 mm Capacity - 150 Kg Per Hour Year - 2019, VaccumeSizing Tank WS-150 (SS 304 Material) Tank length 6500mm Capacity 20-150mm Year - 2019, Pipe Traction Unit Capacity - Multi Belt System, moulded rubber chain with 1100mm contact link. Year - 2019, Pipe Cutting Unit 20-150mm with Saw dia of 550mm Year - 2019, Pipe Tilting Unit Year - 2019, Dies and Pins Capacity 20-90 MM Year - 2019, Vaccume Sizer Capacity 20-90 MM Year - 2019, Pressure Sizers Capacity 20-90 MM Year - 2019, Printing Wheels Year - 2019, PVC Hopper Loader Year - 2019, High Speed Heater Coller, Mixer with Batch Hopper and Spring Conveyour Year - 2019
Reserve Price : Rs. 15,06,000/- EMD : Rs. 1,50,600/-

Terms & Conditions : **(1)** Interested bidders can place their Bid offer Application in closed envelope mentioning **"BID OFFER FOR MACHINERY PURCHASE "** on the envelope and hand over the same to Manager ,Canara Bank ,Golahalli Branch by **28/07/2023 5 PM.** Bid offers will be opened on **31.07.2023 at 11.30 AM. (2)** EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited by way of Demand draft/NEFT/RTGS/FUND TRANSFER as per details mentioned above, on or before **28.07.2023 by 5.00 pm.**The EMD Amount to paid by way of demand draft in favor of Authorized Officer, Devanahalli or by way of A/c Details for NEFT/RTGS/FUND TRANSFER to Canara Bank, Regional Office Devanahalli Branch, **A/c No 209272434 IFSC: CNRB0007958. (3)** The Reserve Price mentioned above is inclusive of GST. **(4)** The movable assets can be inspected on 26.07.2023, with Prior Appointment with Authorized Officer. **(5)** Intending Bidders shall submit the Bid applications along with KYC. **(6)** It shall be the responsibility of the interested bidders to inspect and satisfy themselves about the vehicles before submission of the bid. **(7)** Successful bidder have to remit the balance amount within 7 working days from the date of Auction, otherwise the EMD amount will be forfeited and will not be refunded under any circumstances. It shall be the responsibility of the successful bidder to bear all the charges for conveyance, transfer registration charges, etc., as applicable. **(8)** Authorized Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the e-auction without assigning any reason thereof. **(9)** For further details, please contact the Authorized Officer, as per details mentioned below. **Contact Details : Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, Recovery Section, Regional Office Devanahalli, 2nd Floor, Matru Arcade, Above Reliance Digital Devanahalli, Devanahalli ,Bangalore Rural 562110, Mob : 8762167776, 9945629385 Email - blrrnpa@canarabank.com**

Date: 14.07.2023
Place: Devanahalli

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

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ಮೇಲಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಲು ಇಚ್ಚಿಸುವರು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ https://kppp.karnataka.gov.inನಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಡೌನ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 13-07-2023 ರಿಂದ 24-07-2023 ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ 04:00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಹಿಂತಿರುಗಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 24-07-2023 ರಂದೆ ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ 04:00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು Karnataka Public Procurement Portal ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸಹಿ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದು.

ಸಹಿ/-ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು(ವಿ),
ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು.

AXIS BANK

Retail Lending and Payment Group (Local Office/Branch): Axis Bank Ltd, # 45 Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Regional Passport Office, Near: Urvashi Theatre, Lalbagh Road, Lalbagh, Bangalore – 560 027. Axis Bank Ltd., 3rd Floor, Gigaplex, NPC – 1, TTC Industrial Area, Mugalsan Road, Airoli, Navi Mumbai – 400 708. Registered Office: "Trishul", 3rd Floor Opp. Samartheshwar Temple Law Garden, Ellisbridge, Ahmedabad – 380006.

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Public-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9 Sub Rule (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property is mortgaged/charged to the secured creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Secured Creditor will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is"** on **31st July 2023** for recovery of **Rs.10,37,603.00/- (Rupees Ten Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Six Hundred and Three Only) due as on 22.01.2020 in loan account No.PHR000900652241** with future interest and costs due to the secured creditor from **Borrower: 1. Mr. R.V Sunil Kumar,** No 141, 1st floor B Block, AECS Layout Kudlu Village, Singasandra, Bangalore-560068, **Also at: Mr. R.V Sunil Kumar,** Mahindra Sathyam Services, IITC 3 B Wing 1st floor, Site No 44 & 46 KIADB Industrial Area, E-City Phase-II, Bangalore-561229, **Also at: Mr. R V Sunil Kumar,** Plot No 509, JR Phrase III, Sy No 130/1 Marsur, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore- 560075. **2. Co-borrower: Mrs. Lingayath Kalyani,** No 141, 1st floor B Block, AECS Layout Kudlu Village, Singasandra, Bangalore-560068, **Also At: Mrs. Lingayath Kalyani,** Plot No 509, JR Phrase III, Sy No 130/1 Marsur, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore- 560075. Please refer the appended auction schedule for necessary details:-

KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES (IF ANY)	**Not known to the secured creditor. The unpaid charges towards electricity, maintenance, Tax etc. if any, as applicable**
RESERVE PRICE (IN RS.)	**Rs. 39,99,516/(Rupees Thirty Nine Lakhs Ninety Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Sixteen Only)**
EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (IN RS.)	**Rs. 3,99,952/- (Rupees Three Lakhs Ninety Nine Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Two Only)**
BID INCREMENTAL AMOUNT	**Rs. 20,000/- (Rs. Twenty Thousand Only)**
LAST DATE, TIME AND VENUE FOR SUBMISSION OF BIDS / TENDER WITH EMD	**Till 28th July 2023 latest by 04:00 P.M. at Axis Bank Ltd, # 45 Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Regional Passport Office, Near: Urvashi Theatre, Lalbagh Road, Lalbagh, Bangalore – 560 027, Addressed to Mr. Raghunath**
DATE, TIME, AND VENUE FOR PUBLIC E-AUCTION	**On 31st July 2023, between 11.00 A.M and 12.00 Noon with unlimited extensions of 5 minutes each at web portal https://www.bankeauctions.com e-auction tender documents containing e-auction bid form, declaration etc., are available on the website of the Service Provider as mentioned above**

DETAILS OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the vacant site bearing site No.509 Khatha/Janjaru No.3819 formed in converted land bearing Site No 130, 130/1,130/2 in layout known as J.R Coco Nest Phrase III "measuring to an extent of 2 Acres 16 Guntas situated at Marasur village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Official memorandum Vide No. AL(A) (A) SR: 55/2010-11 dated 14-10-2010 and layout plan approved by the Anekal Planning Authority Vide order No. APA/LA/50/2010-11, dated 06.08.2011 and Extent : East to West 50 feet and North to South 52.30 feet and bounded as follows: East by : Road, West by : Plot No 483, North by : Plot No. 482, South by : Plot No.508.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in the secured creditor's website i.e. https://www.axisbank.com/auction-retail and the Bank's approved service provider M/S C1 India Private Limited at their web portal https://www.bankeauctions.com

The auction will be conducted online through the Bank's approved service provider M/s.C1 India Private Limited at their web portal https://www.bankeauctions.com.

For any other assistance, the intending bidders may contact Mr. Shaik Azuruddin at Axis Bank Ltd, # 45 Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Regional Passport Office, Near: Urvashi Theatre, Lalbagh Road, Lalbagh, Bangalore – 560 027 (Mobile No. 91-7330999018 Email ID: shaik.azuruddin@axisbank.com) during office hours from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM.

This Notice should be considered as 15 Days' Notice to the Borrowers/Co-borrowers/Guarantors under Rule 9 Sub Rule (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2002.

Date: 15.07.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
AXIS BANK LTD.,

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

CENTRAL WORKSHOPS, GOLDEN ROCK, TIRUCHIRAPPALLI- 620 004
EXTRA DIVISION

The Chief Workshop Manager, Central Workshops, Golden Rock, Southern Railway, Tiruchirappalli - 620 004 for and on behalf of President of India invites ONLINE Tenders for the following work as per tender notices given below with complete details in our e-tender portal **www.ireps.gov.in**

E-Tender No.: No. CW/C/192/ Epoxy Flooring/PS/HDIR/OT dated 13.07.2023
Name of the work & Quantity: "Supply and Application of Epoxy Screed and Hi-Build Heavy Duty Impact Resistant Epoxy Flooring of thickness 5-6 mm"
Approximate Value of Work: ₹ 39,90,701/- inclusive of GST@ 18%
Cost of Tender Form: ₹3,000/-
Bid Security Amount: ₹79,800/-
Period of Contract: 02 Months
Tender Closing Date & Time: 04.08.2023@ 12:00 hours

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H.O. : "UJJWAL", Maharani Bagh, GMS Road, Dehradun-248006
Telephone: 0135-2763808, Fax No.: 0135-2763508
CIN No. U40101UR2001SGC025866, Website: www.ujvnl.com

R.O. No. 651 **e-Short Term Tender Notice** **Dated 15.07.2023**

Office of the EE(I&P-II), Ganga Bhawan, Yamuna Colony, Dehradun invites online bids from interested parties. Brief summary of tender is given below :

Tender No.: 01/UJVNL/EE(I&P-II)/2023-24.
Name of work: "Preparation of Feasibility Report of Hydro Electric Projects Proposed to be constructed in Yamuna River Basin, Uttarakhand.
Estimated cost: Rs. 1.3 Crores (Rs. One crore thirty lacs only) (GST extra as applicable).
Date of availability of bid document on website: 18-07-2023 from 15:00 Hrs.
Last date for submission of bids on website: 02-08-2023 Upto 15:00 Hrs.
For fuller & further details, kindly visit e-procurement portal "http://uktenders.gov.in"

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CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED
Corporate Office: 1st Floor, 'Dare House', No.2, N.S.C. Bose Road, Chennai-600001.
Branch Addres: Lakshmi Arcade No.2, 2nd Floor, Havanur Ext, Hesaraghatta Main Road, Bagalagunte Nagasandra Post, Peenya, Bangalore-560073.

POSSESSION NOTICE Under Rule 8 (1)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 hereinafter called the Act and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13[12] read with Rules 9 of the Security Interest [Enforcement] Rules, 2002 issued demand notices calling upon the borrowers, whose names have been indicated in Column [B] below on dates specified in Column [C] to repay the outstanding amount indicated in Column [D] below with interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers in particular and the Public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the properties mortgaged with the Company described herein below of the Columns on the respective dates mentioned in Column [E] in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13[4] of the Act read with Rule 9 of the Rules made there under.
The borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties mentioned below and any such dealings will be subject to the charge of **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited** for an amount mentioned in Column [D] along with interest and other charges.
Under section 13 [8] of the Securitisation Act, the borrowers can redeem the secured asset by payment of the entire outstanding including all costs, charges and expenses before notification of sale.

Sl. No.	Name and Address of Borrower & Loan A/c No. [B]	Date of Demand Notice [C]	Outstanding Amount [D]	Date of Possession [E]
[A] 1	**Loan Account No's: X0HEGAL00002786473 :-** **1. Manjunath B T,** No.203, Old No.108, 5th Main, Rukmini, Govt. School Nagar, Nagasandra Bangalore North, Karnataka-560073. **2. Sarala M,** No.203, Old No.108, 5th Main, Rukmini, Govt. School Nagar, Nagasandra Bangalore North, Karnataka-560073. **3. M/s L J Iyengar Bakery,** Near Kanva Mart, Rukmini Nagar, Nagasandra Post, Bangalore-560073.	11-04-2023	Rs.35,02,086/- as on 10-04-2023 and interest thereon.	13-07-2023 Symbolic
	DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Khaneshmari No.36, Assessment No.42, Khatha No.42, situated at: Nagasandra Village Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now Presently within the limit of BBMP **and bounded on: East by:** Property No.35, **West by:** Property No.37, **North by:** 30 feet Road, **South by:** Property No.25, Measuring 30*40 ft in all measuring 1200 Sq.Feet along with 3 Sq RCC Roofed House.			
2	**Loan Account No's: X0HEBAN00001802177 :-** **1. Manjunath V,** No.398, 1st Main Road KSRTC, Ganesh Temple Layout, Herohalli, Bangalore North, Karnataka-560091. **2. Usha R,** No.398, 1st Main Road KSRTC, Ganesh Temple Layout, Herohalli, Bangalore North, Karnataka-560091. **3. M/s. Sri Raghavendra Darshini,** Magadi Main Road, Sunkadakatte, Vishwaneedam, Bangalore-560091.	11-04-2023	Rs. 27,48,346/- as on 10-04-2023 and interest thereon.	13-07-2023 Symbolic
	DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing site No.26 and 27 Assessment No.162/1, Herohalli village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Presently within the imits of BBMP **and bounded on: East by:** Property No.25, **West by:** Property No.28, **North by:** 25 feet Road, **South by:** Private Property Measuring East to West: 60ft and North to South: 45 feet totally measuring to an extent of 2700 Sq.ft, With GF+FF RCC Roof residential building within the Registration District of Bangalore and Sub Registrarion office.			

Date: 16-07-2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
M/s. Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)

SADASHIVA NAGAR BRANCH
394, 1st Floor, Upper Palace Orchads, Sadashivanagar, Bengaluru-560080.

POSSESSION NOTICE [Section 13(4)]

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **Canara Bank** under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **27.04.2023** calling upon the **borrower : 1) M/s. Aurazia Wellness Pvt. Ltd.** at No. 237, F Block, HTP Road, Behind SBI Bank, Opposite Post Office, Sahakarnagar, Bengaluru-560092. **2) Mrs. Roopalakshmi .B.G, (3) Mr. Mahendra Singh .R,** both 2 & 3 are resding at No. 2204, Annya Greinderg Apartments, 8th Main, 13th Cross, Judicial Layout, GKVK Post, Bengaluru-560064. **4) Mr. Gopalakrishna Hebbar .B,** resding at Flat No. 401, Creative Classic Apartments, G.R. Layout, Cholanagar, R.T. Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032. to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs. 1,31,22,485.77** (Rupees One Crore Thirty One Lakhs Twenty Two Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Five and Seventy Seven only) Within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **14th day of July of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs. 1,35,24,196.60/- as on 12.07.2023** plus interest and cost thereon. The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description Of The IMMOVABLE Property : Property No. 01 : All the part and parcel of residential flat bearing No. 401, New PID No. 021-WO317-43, on the Third floor of creative Classic Apartment, having super built up area of 1785 sq. ft. and car parking at 4th A Cross, Gundappa Reddy Layout, BBMP Ward No. 96, Bengaluru-560032. Owned by Mr. Gopala Krishna, Hebbar and **bounded as under : East :** Remaining property of Mr. Babu Reddy, **West by :** Drainage, **North by :** Venkateshwara and Vinayaka Temple and **South by :** Gundappa reddy's property.

Property No. 02 : All the piece and parcel of residential vacant site bearing No. 116, measuring East to West 10.01 + 8.17/2 meters, North to South 17.00 + 18.12/2 meters (Total 159 square meters) (equivalent to 1712 Sq. ft), bearing Khata No. 198, Khata issued by Doddajala Panchayath, formed in Survey numbers converted for residential purpose bearing survey No. 36/2, vide order by Special Deputy Commissioner Bangalore urban District, bearing No. B.D.S : ALN/SR/(NA)310/04-05 dated 15.12.04, by special deputy commissioner, Bengaluru Urban District, Sy. No. 56/6A, vide order bearing No. B.D.S. : ALN/SR/(NA), 309/04-05 dated 15.12.02, Sy. No. 57/1 and 57/2 vide order bearing No. B.D.S : ALN/SR/(NA) 19.04.05 dated 25.10.05 by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and the layout approved by BIAAPA No. BIAAPA/TP/LAO/58/2006-07 dated 15.05.2007 in Ananda Nagar Layout at Meesaganahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Bengaluru. Owned by Mr. Gopalakrishna Hebbar and bounded as under : **East by :** 10' Pathway, **West by :** Vacant Site No. 115, **North by :** 30' Wide Road, **South by :** Private Property.

Property No. 03 : All the piece and parcel of the residential vacant site bearing No. 87, measuring East to West 15.24 + 15.3/2 meters, North to South 19.01 + 17.61 meters (Total 279.03 square meters) (equivalent to 3004 Sq. Ft.), bearing Khata No. 169, Khata issued by Doddajala Panchayath, formed in survey numbers converted for residential purpose bearing survey No. 36/2, vide order by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Urban District, bearing No. B.D.S : ALN/SR/(NA)310/04-05 dated 15.12.04, by special deputy commissioner, Bengaluru Urban District, Sy. No. 56/6A, vide Order No. B.D.S : ALN/SR/(NA 309/04-05 dated 15.12.04, Sy. No. 57/1 and 57/2, vide order bearing No. B.D.S : ALN/SR/ (NA) 19/05-06 dated 25.10.05 by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and land bearing Sy. No. 57/2, vide order bearing ALN(NA)JALA / SR 37/05-06 dated 01.03.2007 and Layout approved by BIAAPA No. BIAAPA/TP/LAO/58/2006-07 dated 15-5-2007 in Anand Nagar Layout at Meesaganahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Bengaluru. Owned by Mrs. B.G. Roopalakshmi and Mr. R. Mahender Singh and bounded as under : **East by :** 30' Road, **West by :** Vacant Site No. 86, **North by :** Vacant Site 88, **South by :** 30' Road.

Date: 14.07.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas
The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

| Sr. No. | Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account

ARB, BENGALURU NORTH

1/1, 1st Floor, Jeevan sampige, 2nd Main, Sampige Road, Malleswaram-560 003, Bengaluru. Mobile: 90032 23669, Mail Id : arb.bengalurunorth@unionbankofindia.bank

Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Property

E-Auction Sale Notice for 30 days Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive possession notice **19.12.2022** of has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Union Bank of India Secured Creditor will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "whatever there in"** on **24.08.2023, 11.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.** for recovery of Rs. **74,76,658/-** (Rupees Seventy Four Lakh Seventy Six Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Eighty Only) + Future interest + other expenses to till date of realization and all other expenses including legal are also to be considered due to the Secured Creditor from **Borrower Mortgagor : M/s. Annapurneshwari Home Foods, Prop. : G. M. Shankarappa, G. S. Vasu** S/o. G. M. Shankarappa, **both are residing at :** No. 571, 50 ft. Road, Errannagudde, BSK 3rd Stage, Kasturba Colony, Bangalore-560085. The reserve Price will be **Property 1 : Rs. 22,95,000/- Property 2 : Rs. 61,00,000/,-** and the earnest money deposit will be **Property 1 : Rs. 2,29,500/-, Property 2 : Rs. 6,10,000/-**

Details of immovable secured assest to be sold : Property 1 : All that piece & parcel of the immovable property bearing site No.15, Khata No. 55/2 situated at Challeghatta Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore. south measuring east to west 30 feet and north to south 40 feet totally measuring 1200 Sqft and with in the jurisdiction of the sub-registrar of Jayanagar(kengari) and **bounded on the : East By :** Site No. 14, **West By :** Road, **North By :** Road, **South By** : Site No. 16.

Reserve Price : Rs. 22,95,000/- **EMD : Rs. 2,29,500/-**

Property 2 : All that piece & parcel of immovable property bearing site no 571, Sy. No. 16/1 situated at Avalahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalarore-560085 measuring east to west 20 feet and north to south 30 feet totally measuring 600 sqft and with in the jurisdiction of the subregistrar of Jayanagar (Kengeri) and **bounded on the : East :** Site No. 569, **West :** Site No. 572, **North :** Road, **South :** Site No. 570.

Reserve Price : Rs. 61,00,000/- **EMD : Rs. 6,10,000/-**

For Detailed terms and condition of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **(1) https://www.ibapi.in (2) www.unionbankofindia.co.in**
The intending purchaser require to register through : **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp**
The online E-auction will be held through **website: sarfaesi@unionbankofindia.com.**
For E-auction Related queries Please contact : Chief Manager Mr. Moorthi .V, M : 9003223669, Sr. Manager : Mr. Vijaya Kumar .P, M : 9606699915

Date : 15.07.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Union Bank of India**

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CIN U75302KL2017SGC05027

E-TENDER NOTICE

E-Tenders are invited for the following projects of Smart City Thiruvananthapuram Limited Project.

Sl. No.	Name of Project	E Tender ID	PAC Amount (Exclusive of GST)	Bid Submission Last Date
Selection of Contractor for Development of Smart Roads and Underground Ducting including Utility Shifting of Water Supply and Power lines in ABD area Under Smart (Corporation Roads) in Thiruvananthapuram				
1	Keezhe Thampanoor Road, ID 31A	2023_SCTLT_551304_4	Rs. 3,20,36,478/-	29th July 2023
2	Marakkada Road, ID 43	2023_SCTLT_550815_4	Rs. 2,29,11,634/-	29th July 2023

Date and Time of Opening Price Bid: To Be Intimated Separately to Technically Qualified Bidders by e-mail. All the RFP documents and details are available on the e-Procurement Website. Bids are only accepted online on the Website https://etenders.kerala.gov.in

(Sd/-), CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No : 120/2023-24/KWA/PHC/D1/TVM

JJM-2021-2024- WSS to Adjoining Panchayaths of Varkala - Design, supply, erection and commissioning of raw water pump set at Keezhattingal and clear water pump set at WTP Njekkad and its allied electrical work. EMD: Rs. 200000/-; Tender fee: Rs. 13010/-; Last Date for submitting Tender: 07-08-2023, 03:00:pm; Phone : 04712322303
Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
KWA-JB-GL-6-707-2023-24 PH Circle, Thiruvananthapuram

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No : 103/2023-24/SE/PHC/MVPA

Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM)-JJM-PHASE II-RWSS TO PAIPRA - PROVIDING FULL COVERAGE IN PAIPRA PANCHAYATH - PACKAGE - 2 - LAYING CLEAR WATERPUMPING MAIN & CONSTRUCTION OF 11 LAKHS LITRE CAPACITY O.H.TANK AT THATTUPARAMBU - Pipeline Work. EMD : Rs. 200000; Tender fee : Rs. 11025; Last Date for submitting Tender : 10-08-2023, 04:00:pm. Phone: 04852835637. Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
KWA-JB-GL-6-721-2023-24 PH Circle, Muvattupuzha

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client **Raju Kahar S/o Devnath Kahar**, aged about 49 years, Riot:- Kaithi village, Phuwaria, Rohtas, Talari, Bihar-821108 have filed the above petition for the death certificate of his son namely **Mahngu Kahar S/o Raju Kahar who died on 03.11.2021** at Government Hospital, Yelahanka, Bengaluru North. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble Principal Civil Judge, and JMFC at Devanahalli and the date of hearing **on 8/8/2023 at 11.00 A.M. in Crl.Mis No. 191/2023.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri B.M. Aswinkumar, Advocates

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Himadri Chaudhury/ Sanghamitra Chaudhury/ Abhijit E-1 Neela Chai Co-op Abasan Society 98 Rajdanga (Gold Park), West Bengal Kolkata- 700107/ LBCAL00001307075/ LBCAL00001511572	Shubha Building (Under Surabhi Project), Apartment/ Unit No. 102, 1st Floor, Khata No. BDA/RO/S/VO/NO. 1/Pages 34/99-2000, Bilekahalli Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk Banglore, Karnataka. Admeasuring An Area of Flat Admeasuing 1221 Sq. Ft. SBA Together With One Open Car Parking./ Date of Symbolic 13.07.2023	21/02/2023 Rs. 8,29,446/-	Kolkata/ Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : July 15, 2023 **Authorized Officer**
Place : Bangalore **ICICI Bank Limited**

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)

Ganganagar Branch
No.1/1, KHM Block,
Ganganagar, Bangalore-560032

(Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties)

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable / movable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable / movable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Ganganagar Branch, Bangalore** will be sold **"As is where", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" on 17.08.2023,** for recovery of **Rs.50,46,992/-** (Rupees Fifty Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Two Only) as on **01.07.2023** plus further interest and cost from **01.07.2023** due to the **Ganganagar Branch of Canara Bank** from **Borrower(s): (1) S And S.Pharma and Food Distributors,** No.28, 2nd Main Masjid E Kausar, R.T. Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032 **(2) Syed Audil Syed Ghouse,** No.28, 2nd Main Masjid E Kausar, R.T. Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit **(NEFT/RTGS)** shall be deposited on or before **16.08.2023 by 12.30 PM** by way of favoring Authorized Officer, **Canara Bank, Ganganagar Branch** or through online payment to **Account No.- 209272434 (IFS Code CNRB0010458) the description of the properties are as under.**

Sl. No.	Description of the Property (ies)	Reserve Price	EMD Amount	Incremental value at Bid
1	**Residential Building :** Property bearing New Municipal No. 27/1, PID No. 96-310-27/1, 8th Cross Road, Kanakanagar, BBMP New Ward No.22, (formerly Northern portion of Municipal No.27) Earlier Site No. 27 and 28, Property No. 26/8, Vishwanatha Nagenahalli, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk-560032. Area : 1160 Sq.ft, Boundaries : East : Site No. 29 and 30, West : Road, North : Road, South : Remaining portion of BBMP No.27.	Rs. 158.29 Lakhs	15.8 Lakhs	Rs. 10,000/-

Date & Time of Auction : 17.08.2023 & 11.00 AM to 4:00 PM. Date of Sale Notice : 15.07.2023.
Property Inspection Date : 01.08.2023 between 02:00 PM to 04:00 PM or on any working day.
Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
Details of Auction service provider: **M/s Canbank Computer Services Ltd. Contact Person Mr. Pakhare DD / Mr. Ramesh. T.H, Bengaluru (Contact no.9480691777 & 8553643144, e-mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in .**
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website www.canarabank.com or may contact **Canara Bank, Ganganagar Branch, Bengaluru-560032, Phone No. 9449860059, 080-23330121,** E-mail: **cb10458@canarabank.com,** during office hours on any working day.

Place: Bengaluru **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date : 15.07.2023 **Canara Bank**

The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited

No.6, Hospital Road, Bengaluru -560 053.
Telefax: 2225 3389, 2226 8535. 26661253, E-Mail: info@mscmbank.in

NOTICE OF SALE- IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

Auction sale under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Securities Interest Act 2002 of the Immovable properties mortgaged to **The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited,** No.6, Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560 053 for recovery of secured debts below mentioned. For the realization of these debts the mortgaged property are brought for sale on **"as is where is and whatever there is condition".**

Auction Date Place & Time	Description Of the Properties Mortgage & Amount Of Loan	Reserve Price & Property Owners
18.08.2023, Friday 11.00 AM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of property bearing Municipal No:581/360/39/1/7 (previously site bearing No:7 carved out of converted land in Sy.No:39/1, situated at Shrirampura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk), presently situated at Jakkur, Bangalore, Corporation Ward No:5, within the limits and administration of Byatarayanapura Sub Division of Bruaht Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 30 Feet In all ad-measuring 1200 Sq.Feet, and bounded on the : East by : Site bearing No:8; West by : Road; North by : Land belonging to Sri.Papanna; South by : Road; Belongs to **Smt. Archana.V W/o Sri Munegowda.N** **Liability as on 30.04.2018 is Rs.36,22,557-00 (Rupees Thirty Six Lakh Twenty Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Seven only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.52,80,000.00 (Rupees Fifty Two Lakhs Eighty Thousand Only)** **Smt. Archana.V W/o Sri Munegowda.N**
18.08.2023, Friday 11.30 AM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of Site bearing No.132, situated at Seventh Block, Ninth Phase, J.P.Nagar, Bangalore in the layout formed by Bangalore Development Authority, Bangalore, measuring East to West 9.15 Mtrs and North to South 6.10 Mtrs In all ad-measuring 55.81 Sq.Mtrs, and bounded on the : East by : Road; West by : Park; North by : Site bearing No.131; South by : Site bearing No.133; Belongs to **Sri.Ilyas Ahmed S/o Sri.Mukthar** **Liability as on 31.07.2021 is Rs.12,14,735.02 (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Fourteen Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Five and paisa Two Only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.26,43,212.00 (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Forty Three Thousand Two Hundred Twelve Only)** **Sri.Ilyas Ahmed S/o Sri.Mukthar**
18.08.2023, Friday 12.00 Noon At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of the immovable property consisting of the Property bearing No.177/162, (Site No.11, carved out of land in Sy.No:11 of Hagaduru Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk), now situated at Vijayanagara, Bengaluru, Ward No.84, measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet in all ad measuring 1200 Sq.feet along with consisting of Residential building with Ground, First, Second and Third Floors and bounded on the : East by : Road; West by : Private Property, earlier Burial Ground; North by : Property belonging to Smt.Anjanamma; South by : Property belonging to Sri.Thyagaraj; Belongs to **Sri. Yedukondalu.K S/o Late Sri.Raghavalu** **Liability as on 10.07.2019 is Rs. 64,26,250.00 (Rupees Sixty Four Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.1,09,08,800/- (Rupees One Crore Nine Lakhs Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Only)** **Sri. Yedukondalu.K S/o Late Sri.Raghavalu**
18.08.2023, Friday 12.30 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of Immovable Property bearing Khata No.96/5, BBMP No.273, New Khata No.96/5/273, situated at Arekere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 33 Feet; North to South : 65 Feet In all ad-measuring 2145 sq.feet, along with dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground Floor together with the structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East by : Sri.T.K.Gangadharaiah Property; West by : Krishnappa and Suresh Property; North by : 30 Feet Road; South by : Sriramappa Property; Belongs to **Smt.Vanajakshi W/o Sri. Krishnappa** **Liability as on 31.07.2021 is Rs.56,60,917.00 (Rupees Fifty Six Lakhs Sixty Thousand Nine Hundred Seventeen Only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.1,06,96,000 (Rupees One Crore Six Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand Only)** **Smt.Vanajakshi W/o Sri. Krishnappa**
18.08.2023, Friday 1.00 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of property bearing No:324 (previously site bearing No:10 carved out of land in Sy.No:25/6 of Basavanapura Village, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, later CMC Katha No:368/25/6/11), presently situated at Basavanapura, Bangalore, within the limits and administration of K R Pura Range of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, Corporation Ward No:52, measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet in all ad measuring 1200 Sq.feet along with consisting of Ground Floor together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the : East by : Site bearing No:9; West by : Site bearing No:11; North by : Road; South by : Private Property; Belongs to **Sri Ambasa S/o Late Lakshmansa** **Liability as on 30.06.2018 is Rs.28,63,070/- (Rupees Twenty eight Lakhs sixty three Thousands & seventy only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.51,52,275.00 (Rupees Fifty One Lakhs Fifty Two Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Five Only)** **Sri Ambasa S/o Late Lakshmansa**
18.08.2023, Friday 01.30 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	**Item No.1:** All that piece and parcel of the immovable Property bearing No.120/378 (Previously bearing eastern portion of site No.378 in property Nos:6,7,8 and 9), Situated at Gandhipura, Hagaduru dhakle, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, now comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru Ward No-84, measuring East to West 25 ft and North to South 30 ft In all ad-measuring 750 sq.ft consisting of Residential building with Ground, First, Second and Third Floor and bounded on the : East by : Site No.428; West by : 5 feet passage and thereafter remaining western portion of property bearing no:378; North by : Site No.379; South by : Site No.377; **Item No.2:** All that piece and parcel of the Immovable property consisting of the Property bearing No.120/378/1 (Previously bearing eastern portion of site No.378 in property Nos:6,7,8 and 9), Situated at Gandhipura, Hagaduru dhakle, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, now comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru Ward No-84, measuring East to West 25 ft and North to South 10 ft In all ad-measuring 250 sq.ft consisting of Residential building with Ground,First,Second and Third Floor and bounded on the : East by : Property bearing No.120/378 belonging to Sri Mohammed Saleem; West by : Road; North by : Remaining portion measuring East to West:15feet and North to South:25feet Of property bearing No.378, belonging to Sri.Haji Khader Sab; South by : 5feet Passage; **Item No.3:** all that piece and parcel of the Immovable property consisting of the Property bearingNo.120/378/4 (Previously , 120/378/3 and still earlier portion of site No.378 in property Nos:6,7,8 and 9), Situated at Gandhipura, Hagaduru dhakle, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, now comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru Ward No-84, measuring East to West 25 ft and North to South 20 ft In all ad-measuring 500 sq.ft consisting of Residential building with Ground,First,Second and Third Floor and bounded on the : East by : Portion of Property bearing No.120/378/2 belonging to Sri Mohammed Saleem; West by : Road; North by : Property bearing No.379; South by : Property bearing No.120/378/1 belongs to Sri Mohammed Saleem ; Belongs to **Sri.Mohammed Saleem S/oSri.Haji Abdul Khader** **Liability as on 10.07.2019 is Rs. 58,87,339.00 (Rupees Fifty Eight Lakhs Eighty Seven Thousand Three Hundred Thirty Nine Only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.1,15,00,200/- (Rupees One Crore Fifteen Lakhs Two Hundred Only)** **Sri.Mohammed Saleem S/oSri.Haji Abdul Khader**
18.08.2023, Friday 02.00 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of apartment unit privately numbered as T-2 in third floor, South Facing of the apartment building known as EAST WOOD, with a super built-up area of 1350 sq.ft., along with one covered car parking slot in stilt floor, together with 395 sq.ft. of undivided share and interest in the land of the property bearing Municipal No:3656/236/17/623-F, situated at Arakere, Bengaluru, within the limits and administration of Bommanahalli Range of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru, and consisting of Residential 1 Unit bounded on the : East by : Set-back area of the apartment building West by : Set-back area of the apartment building; North by : Set-back area of the apartment building; South by : Corridor and staircase; Belongs to **Sri. Murali Chinnappa S/o Mulabagilu Chinnappa** **Liability as on 30.04.2018 is Rs.37,19,447/- (Rupees Thirty Seven Lakh Nineteen Thousand Four Hundred Forty Seven Only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.51,30,000/- (Rupees Fifty One Lakhs Thirty Thousand Only)** **Sri. Murali Chinnappa S/o Mulabagilu Chinnappa**
18.08.2023, Friday 03.00 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	**Property No.1:** All that piece and parcelof Property bearing Muncipal No.1(Previously plot carved out of land in Sy.No:35/1 of Kamakshipalya, Saneguravanahalli, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk), Presently situated at 8th Main Road, Kamakshipalya, Bengaluru, Corporation Ward No.17,measuring East to West 15 Feet and North to South 40 Feet in all ad measuring 600 Sq.feet along with consisting of Residential and Commercial building with Ground, First, Second and Third Floors and bounded on the : East by : Property belonging to Sri.Mariyappa; West by : Sri. Venkatappa's Land; North by : Road; South by : Property belonging to Sri.Shivanna; **Property No.2:** All that piece and parcel Property bearing Muncipal No.2 (Previously plot carved out of land in Sy.No:35/1 of Kamakshipalya, Saneguravanahalli, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk), Presently situated at 8th Main Road, Kamakshipalya, Bengaluru, Corporation Ward No.17 and measuring East to West 15 Feet and North to South 40 Feet in all ad measuring 600 Sq.feet along with consisting of Residential and Commercial building with Ground, First, Second and Third Floors and bounded on the: East by : Property bearing Municipal No.1, belonging to Sri. Rangaswamy.G.R.; West by : Property belonging to Sri.Hanumanthappa; North by : Road; South by : Property belonging to Sri.Shivanna; Belongs to **Sri. G.R.Rangaswamy S/o Late.Rangaiah** **Liability as on 18.02.2019 is Rs.48,11,726.00 (Rupees Forty Eight Lakh Eleven Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Six Only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.84,21,800/- (Rupees Eighty Four Lakhs Twenty One Thousand Eight Hundred Only)** **Sri. G.R.Rangaswamy S/o Late.Rangaiah**
18.08.2023, Friday 03.30 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Municipal No.17, (Site No.20 carved out of land Sy No.27/1 of Gangenahalli Village, Bangalore) now situated at Seventh Main, Ganganagar Gramathana, Bangalore, Corporation Ward no.20 (old ward no.98), PID No: 98-154-17, measuring East to West 27 Feet and North to South 20 Feet, in all ad measuring 540 Sq.feet, along with dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground Floor, First Floor, Second Floor, Third Floor and Terrace Floor together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East by : Road; West by : Property belonging to Sri. Gurraiah; North by : Property belonging to Sri.Ramachandra; South by : Property belonging to Sri.Timmaih. Belongs to **Sri. Prakash M.B S/o Sri.Balachannaiah** **Liability as on 06.12.2022 is Rs.47,56,726/- (Rupees Forty Seven Lakhs Fifty Six Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Six only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.75,25,900/-/- (Rupees Seventy Five Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Nine Hundred Only)** **Sri. Prakash M.B S/o Sri.Balachannaiah**
18.08.2023, Friday 04.00 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of Property Bearing Site No.27, Old Khatha No.408/A, New Khatha No.597/11/44-27, situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, now coming under BBMP Jurisidiction, Bangalore, measuring East to West 43 Feet and North to South 30 Feet in all ad measuring 1290 Square Feet along with dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground Floor, First Floor, Second Floor together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East by : Private Property; West by : Road; North by : Site bearing No.26: South by : Site bearing No.28; Belongs to **Smt. Rebecca Evelyn Solomon, D/o Late. Mervyn Emanuel Solomon** **Sri. Melvyn Isaac Solomon, S/o Late. Mervyn Emanuel Solomon** **Liability as on 28.10.2022 is Rs.92,93,389.00 (Rupees Ninety Two Lakhs Ninety Three Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Nine Only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.1,32,70,200/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty Two Lakhs Seventy Thousand Two Hundred Only)** **Smt. Rebecca Evelyn Solomon, D/o Late. Mervyn Emanuel Solomon Sri. Melvyn Isaac Solomon, S/o Late. Mervyn Emanuel Solomon**
Auction Date Place & Time	**Description Of the Properties Mortgage & Amount Of Loan**	**Reserve Price & Property Owners**
18.08.2023, Friday 04.30 PM At No.6 Hospital Road, Bengaluru-560053	All that piece and parcel of the Immovable property bearing No. 158, New Municipal No.68, (PID No.13-5-68) Katha No.1/140, Situated at Jarakabande Kaval, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk Now Called as 3rd Main Road, Geleyara Balaga Layout, Bangalore Now coming under B.B.M.P Jurisdiction, Bangalore, measuring East to West 15 Feet and North to South 40 Feet in all ad measuring 600 Sq.Feet, dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground, First, Second and Terrace Floor together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East by : Remaining portion of the Eastern Side Site No.158; West by : Site No.159; North by : Site No.150; South by : 25 Feet Road; Belongs to **Smt. Aluvelumangamma W/o Late. C.T Venkatappa** **Liability as on 02.12.2022 is Rs.19,14,905/- (Rupees Nineteen Lakhs Fourteen Thousand Nine Hundred and Five only) + interest + expenses and other charges.**	**Rs.54,89,775/- (Rupees Fifty Four Lakhs Eighty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Five Only)** **Smt. Aluvelumangamma W/o Late. C.T Venkatappa**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AUCTION

(1) The intending bidder for to participate in the auction has to deposit an amount equivalent to 10% of the reserve price of the properties being auctioned as a refundable "Earnest money deposit" (EMD) by way of D.D./Pay order in favour of The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited and payable on or before One day of auction date.(2) The E.M.D. amount will be refunded to the unsuccessful bidders immediately after the auction. The property will not be sold for less than the Reserve Price. (3)The successful bidder should deposit 25% of the amount [inclusive of EMD] immediately on the same day of the sale being confirmed in his/her favour. On receipt of said payment and verification of KYC documents with originals (photo ID and Address proof), the authorised officer shall issued letter of sale confirmation and the balance amount shall be paid within 15 days thereafter. (4) The amount remitted by the successful bidder is liable to forfeited by the bank without any prior notice if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms of this notice and commits default in any manner and the properties will be re-auctioned. (5)The successful bidder shall bear all the legal/incidental expenses like Stamp duty, registration fee taxes, TDS, Statutory dues, (if any) etc., as applicable. (6) The authorised officer shall have power to accept or reject bids or postpone/ cancel the auction without assigning any reason thereof. (7)The Bank will not be liable for any arrears of tax, any charge, lien or any other dues to the Government or anyone else in respect of the property auctioned. The bidders are requested to make discrete enquires in this behalf with concerned authorities. (8) For Inspection of the Property and other particulars the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer at H.O. Telephone No. 080-2225 3389, 080-2226 8535. They are at liberty to make their own assessment /enquiry about the properties and any other encumbrances on the properties. (9) General Power of Attorney holders, agents and any other persons are not allowed to participate in the auction on behalf of the bidders. (10) The properties has brought for sale on "as is where is and whatever there is condition". (11) In case of stay of further proceedings by DRT/DRAT/High Court or any other court, the auction may either be deferred or cancelled and persons participating in the sale shall have no right to claim damages, compensation or cost for such postponement or cancellation. (12) If the event of the borrower paying the entire amount of the loan during the 15 days from auction date the auction will be deemed as cancelled and the property will be restored to the borrower. The bidder may get the refund of the EMD amount. (13) This is also notice to the (Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor) aforesaid loan about holding of auction sale on above mentioned date if their dues are not repaid in full.

Date : 15.07.2023 **Sd/- Authorised officer,**
Place : Bangalore **The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited**

When I first looked back at the Earth, standing on the Moon, I cried

Alan Shepard

DELUGE OF RHETORIC DROWNS ACCOUNTABILITY

THE THIRD EYE

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EVERY few months the national capital gets an idea, a vignette of perennial problems faced by Indians in rural and urban areas. This week, , as water from the swollen Yamuna swirled through the city, as much of Delhi resembled Minto Road on a rainy day, the city of Very Important People got a ringside view of how systemic apathy can conspire with wrath of nature to convert an event into a disaster.

It is true that Delhi witnessed its highest rainfall in a day and the level of water in the Yamuna reached the highest in four decades. It is equally true that not all blame could be laid at the doors of nature. Did the authorities do all that could be done? The question haunting citizens of a nation capable of launching missions to the Moon is why must it come to this pass? What was done wrong and what was not done right! Predictably the Delhi disaster saw political meteorologists take to the floor unleashing a deluge of decibels drowning fundamental questions and accountability.

The slugfest of whataboutery follows most disasters. Misery is worsened by miserly attention to facts. Beaming live alongside visuals of every disaster is political opportunism scaffolded by flotsam of fermented fiction. The clichéd maxim about governance in India states anything that could go wrong can/will go wrong. Characteristically in the Indian context the discourse which follows is less about the cause and more about who can be blamed for the consequences.

The costs are colossal and accumulating. A report by Asian Development Bank states: "India experienced 278 floods during 1980 – 2017 that affected more than 750 million people and caused about $58.7 billion in losses." As per NCRB records between 2011 and 2021, the fury of nature accounted for the death of 145,514 persons – that is, roughly 36 persons lost their lives in what the government terms as deaths "caused by nature". If it wasn't for the dedication of those in uniform – from the armed forces and the NDRF – the toll would be decidedly higher.

Systemic confusion impedes disaster response. The state of glaciers is critical to understand risks. India hosts 34,919 glaciers and 6,921glacial in the Himalayan Region. How are they managed? From inventory to research to forecasting there are nine departments and ministries involved. The recommendation to bring them under one agency -- given the acceleration in global warming and risks – is pending. Meanwhile, the annual rate of retreat of glaciers is estimated between 5 and 20 metres. The Himalayan-Karakoram region is warming at a faster rate than the global mean by 0.5 degree C. This will impact local changes in hydrology, in terms of rainfall, snowfall patterns and increased melting from glaciers trigger a rise in extreme events leading to disasters.

Images of devastation from northern states illustrates that flood plains are most vulnerable. Yet as the Standing Committee of Parliament on Water Resources reveals only three states have adopted draft legislation for flood plains zoning while the states most at risk have ignored recommendations. Soil erosion worsens weather events but states such as Assam, home to the mighty Brahmaputra, have made no effort to tackle it. Worse allocations for flood management have been slashed to a third from Rs 14,500 crore.

It has been repeatedly claimed that India has better early warning systems. As per a 2021 study released by the Council on Energy, Environment and Water 27 of 35 states and union territories are vulnerable to extreme hydro-met disasters and the compounding impact. How widely are the early warning systems deployed? A CEEW study shows that approximately two of three persons or 66 per cent of the population in India is exposed to extreme flood events but only 33 per cent of the exposed populace is covered by flood early warning systems.

It has been argued that matters have improved. For sure India's preparedness to deal with cyclones has improved. It would be instructive to know policy design is being informed by lessons of the past disasters -- whether it is the 2005 Mumbai floods, the havoc wreaked by nature aggravated by man-made blunders in Kedarnath in 2013, the 2015 floods in Gujarat, the deluge which drowned much of Kerala in 2018, the devastation of Chamoli in 2021. The evidence flowing from ecologically sensitive states – for instance from Joshimath – and the sequence of disasters are far from assuring.

Indeed, in November 2016, Prime Minister Narendra Modi, addressing the Asian Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction, mooted a ten-point agenda for risk resilience. The ninth point merits attention. Advocating that the opportunity to learn from a disaster must not be wasted, Modi observed, "After every disaster, there are papers on lessons that are rarely applied. Often the same mistakes are repeated."

There is no disputing that global factors accelerating climate change render India increasingly vulnerable to extreme events. It is equally true that climate change has been frequently cited as a convenient alibi to portray events as 'unprecedented, beyond control' to drown systemic ineptitude. This cannot persist and policy design must map future threats. It is useful to remember that the price of inaction is always greater than the cost of action.

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Einstein Loses to Modi Raj in Rajya Sabha

ALBERT Einstein once quipped: "No amount of experimentation can ever prove me right; a single experiment can prove me wrong." But the BJP, being a singular-experiment party with a mammoth majority, perhaps thinks the great scientist was talking through his hat. Since Narendra Modi became prime minister and the sole and undisputed leader of the world's largest party, doing disruptive experiments in the political lab is its forte. With BJP, science and politics can mix; oodles of adventurist mergers and experiments have created chemistry between incompatibles, while some have been busts. Yet the Lotus League hasn't given up on testing new winning formulas at any cost. The spirit of experiments guides its selection of new Rajya Sabha candidates. Last week, it plumped for Ananta Rai' Maharaj' as its Rajya Sabha candidate from West Bengal. He would be the first saffron alderman from Mamata Raj who isn't plugged into the core constituency of the Sangh Parivar. Professing to be the Maharaja of Cooch Bihar in North Bengal, he claims to have a support base of over two million Rajbanshis who can influence the poll outcome in three Lok Sabha, and over 25 Assembly constituencies. BJP's Bengali barnacles are pseudo academics, RSS Swayam Sewaks, semi intellectuals and socialites who were rejected in favour of someone without saffron ideology trappings. The raja wants another Partition of Bengal and the creation of a new state. He is an equal opportunity hobnobber with TMC and BJP. But he was picked for Parliament, not by local party leaders but by Union Minister of State for Home Nisith Pramanik, who also hails from Cooch Behar and is known more for muscle power than administrative acumen. Now, why does it seem like the prints of Chanakya are all over this clever gambit? Political marriages and divorces are machinations of convenience. Maharaj's selection signals that BJP is on the prowl to co opt outsiders to inflate its tally in the Upper House and use them as the local lure in the 2024 general elections. Its habit of splitting regional parties is aimed at adding numbers to its current count of fewer than 100 MPs in the Rajya Sabha. By chopping up the NCP and Shiv Sena, the BJP could fatten up its RS numbers by at least half a dozen more, and they would support any legislation the government wheels in. The BJP plus its allies are a little short of a majority but sail through with the support of interested parties like the ADMK, YSR Congress and BJD. But it needs around 160 out of 245 votes to ram through a Constitutional amendment. The UPA currently has only 70-odd MPs. A 100 other parliamentarians from over a dozen smaller parties are good matches for the BJP's wedding planners. Modi doesn't need a leg up to get the Uniform Civil Code Bill passed since nearly all parties support it. But if unchallenged control over the states is his game plan, he will need Constitutional amendments, which require a two thirds majority in the House. Since there are at least three Parliament sessions before the 2024 elections, Mission Modi is to have 170 king's men sitting in the Rajya Sabha. Maybe our innovative premier's fusion formulas could prove Einstein wrong, at least politically.

FILE PHOTO

Extend and Rule on Court Ruling

The ruling party has mastered the art of converting adversity into opportunity. Recently, Modi maulers cheered that the Supreme Court delivered a serious blow to BJP's credibility when it struck down a third extension to Sanjay Kumar Mishra, the trigger happy Director of the dreaded ED. The justices asked him to pack up by July 31, four months before his term expires. Mishra has served for a record 56 months. During his tenure, the maximum number of cases were registered against politicians, top business persons and celebrities who were mercilessly raided. He stands accused of political partisanship in selecting his targets. The government even amended the law to give him a third extension against SC's advice. Expectedly, the Congress and the Opposition celebrated Mishra's ignominious exit; but the ruling party had the last laugh. Home Minister Amit Shah blew a raspberry at his adversaries, saying that though an individual has gone, the government has the judicial sanction to give an extension to anyone it chooses. That person will continue to chase the corrupt and let the law take its course. The apex court had upheld the government's right to extend the tenure of CBI and ED chiefs by following procedure. Now the sarkar is free to keep any officer of its liking, like the ED Director, in the chair, as green lighted by a committee comprising the Chief Vigilance Commissioner and the Secretaries who bend a knee to the political establishment. A powerful section of the government is now looking at leveraging the Supreme Court verdict to retain other obsequious officers holding sensitive posts with extra-tenure postings. Currently, the chiefs of other security agencies get two years on the job and selective extensions. Then it can retain the chiefs of IB, RAW, NSA, et al., whose writ runs across India and can cause trouble in unfriendly states. It may not be a surprise if Modi grants the heads of agencies a full five year term to coincide with his. Naturally, they will be the eyes and ears of the national CEO.

No Births With Perks for Greedy Guessers

Modi's legerdemain always has the trump card. A Cabinet reshuffle is forever on the cards, but the list never makes it to Rashtrapati Bhavan. For the past few weeks, many hopeful honchos in the ruling party had kept their tailors on standby to stitch a new outfit for a swearing in that never came. Some others looked at the Prime Minister's impassive face at Cabinet meetings trying to read his mind. Selective meetings of ministers and netas with the PM and party president J P Nadda were seen as an indication of a Cabinet expansion. But Modi is Modi, and predicting his move is entering the tiger's den. A mischievous rumour found currency that the last reshuffle-cum-expansion before 2024 will witness a complete purge of people who rose during the Atal-Advani era. They were Rajnath Singh, Nitin Gadkari and Narendra Singh Tomar. The remaining ministers are Modi creations in saffron statecraft. Rajnath had contributed to the making of Modi as PM. Gadkari's way is the national highway; he is also firmly logged into the RSS motherboard. Another section of scuttlebutt samurais floated the possibility of rehabilitating previously dropped mantris. They forget Modi believes in stability in the government's stability. Charity isn't his parity principle since he doesn't have the time for second chances. Not even governors have that privilege. But hope lives eternally in the political heart; wannabe hierophants expecting berths with perks until Air Force One took off for Paris, and UPI at Eiffel, were stranded, fuming on the tarmac.

OPPENHEIMER: THE MAN WHO BECAME DEATH

OPINION

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THE trailer of Oppenheimer fittingly credits a champion of the theatre experience, Christopher Nolan, for having written and directed the film 'for the screen'. The film will be released worldwide (except in Japan, where it faces uncertainty) this Friday, July 21, riding on unprecedented hype and hysteria. In India, 15,000 IMAX tickets have reportedly been booked in advance, and there is chatter about 3 am shows planned in some Mumbai theatres, a privilege usually reserved for Rajinikanth and Vijay. Oppenheimer will be seen as Nolan believes films should be—with a sense of communal participation rather than scattered, individualised consumption.

For a film on how science and technology irrevocably alter human reality and the future, Oppenheimer eschews CGI. In the era of iPhone filmmaking, Nolan stands by celluloid. A proponent of traditional cameras and analogue over digital imagery, Oppenheimer was shot with the bulky IMAX film cameras by Hoyte van Hoytema, that too majorly in real locations.

Nolan's adherence to this classic model of filmmaking and film-viewing has me most invested in what promises to be a visual and aural spectacle. However, eventually, in cinema, technology must be at the service of the human element than vice versa, something Nolan would well understand. From what one has seen, heard, and read about it, his sprawling, three-hour-long epic promises to offer calculated measures of thrills, drama, and emotions for heart, mind, and soul.

With Nolan—thanks to his filmography filled with mind-bending narratives like Memento, The Prestige and Inception—there is always the expectation of complexity, not just in character motivations and relationships, but in form, narrative, timeline and use of the device of 'memory'. Oppenheimer is based on the book American Prometheus by Kai Bird and Martin J Sherwin, the biography of physicist and the father of the atomic bomb, J Robert Oppenheimer. I think we can trust Nolan to have not turned it into an uncritical hagiography but a deep dive into the moral and ethical dilemmas at the core of the development of nuclear weapons, 78 years after Trinity or the first detonation was conducted in America on July 16, 1945, as part of the Manhattan Project.

Fuelled by "Nazi anxiety" and the apprehension that the Germans might beat them in the race to harness the newly discovered nuclear fission into a bomb, the Manhattan Project marked a coming together of A-list scientists, with Oppenheimer leading from the front—for a quick delivery of the atom bomb in the thick of World War II.

On the one hand, science brings progress and power to humanity. But power must also be exercised with a sense of caution and responsibility which often goes lacking. As debates on nuclear energy and the arms race rage, it's worth every cinematic moment to go back in history when the way to end World War II and efforts to forge peace with a bomb paved the way for more battles and bigger bombs when a cure turned into long-term affliction.

Oppenheimer was persecuted in the McCarthy era for being an alleged communist. Will the epic take us closer to those horrors as well? Perhaps unlikely.

"You are the man who gave them the power to destroy themselves," goes a dialogue in the film. Did Oppenheimer regret his actions? Did he, like the proverbial Prometheus, give the world fire to play with—and was he later troubled by guilt? He is known to have quoted the Bhagavad Gita: "I have become death, the destroyer of worlds." The angular face and edgy, restive persona of Cillian Murphy promises to make us privy to this secluded, beleaguered side of Oppenheimer. But what of further troubles in his life beyond the invention he is synonymous with? Oppenheimer was persecuted in the McCarthy era for being an alleged communist. Will the epic take us closer to those horrors as well? Perhaps unlikely.

The McCarthy era was also a dark phase for Hollywood when a witch-hunt was launched against several artists with communist allegiance. While a few, like actor Lucille Ball, stood in support, many, like actors Ronald Reagan and Edward G. Robinson, betrayed their community. That was a time of polarised Hollywood. The irony isn't lost today as we see a united industry.

Potentially one of the biggest weeks in Hollywood, already being dubbed Barbenheimer—Oppenheimer releases alongside Greta Gerwig's Barbie—comes just as the actors join the striking writers in fighting studios and streamers. On Thursday, the Screen Actors Guild-American Federation of Radio and Television Artists voted to join the Writers Guild of America after failing to reach a consensus for a new contract with the studios and streaming services, represented by the Alliance of Motion Picture and Television Producers. Oppenheimer's heavy-duty star cast—Murphy, Matt Damon, Robert Downey Jr, Emily Blunt, Florence Pugh, and Rami Malek—did walk the red carpet at the film's London premiere but left the screening in a show of solidarity with their striking colleagues. A film on "the most important thing to ever happen in the history of the world" is also tied up now with the most significant battles in the history of Hollywood. Oppenheimer is already momentous.

QUOTE CORNER

It is a great moment in our life. Man has gone to the moon before... I'm glad that our scientists and their intelligence, their ability to be able to be creative in that way is not just being pawned off to the rest of the world but being utilised right here in India

Zakir Hussain, tabla maestro

This is an inflection point in our industry. Actors and writers in large numbers have lost their ability to make a living. For our industry to survive that has to change. For actors that journey starts now

George Clooney, American actor

I was in very good shape and I thought today would be my day and I would be able to do my personal best. But suddenly rain came down and because of that my timing was not that good

Jyothi Yarraji, winner of India's first gold in women's 100m hurdles (13.09 sec)

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Moon mission

Present victorious launching of Chandrayan-3 spacecraft by ISRO and its placing in the correct orbit is a booster for India's ambitious Gaganyan Mission intended to send man to the Moon eventually. In case the present mission, being a milestone in India's space odyssey, is fully accomplished, India will be the fourth country to go to the Moon, making it the super power in Asia in space technology. The dedicated efforts of the Indian scientific community are applauded by 140 crore Indians.

Jayashree Thampi, Thiruvananthapuram

Space science

The mission to the Moon reminds us of Tamil poet Auvyar's lines written at the entrance of NASA, "Katrathu Kai Mann Alavu, Kallathathu Ulagalavu", meaning what one knows is only a handful, whereas the unknown is the size of the world. Space science is like a gold mine where mining has just begun. The movement of dot on computer screen of scientists monitoring the mission is nothing but the triumph of human spirit.

TS Karthik, Chennai

Check prices

It is indeed a great moment for the people of India that Team ISRO has successfully managed to send Chandrayan-3 into the lunar orbit. We wish the mission succeeds and lands at the lunar south pole on August 23 if all goes well. While we celebrate the achievement of our scientists, it is time the government comes to the aid of those who are living on earth and rein in "skyrocketing" prices of not only tomatoes but even humble ginger and chilli. With rain battering north India followed by floods, onion prices may go up in near future. If left unattended, PM Modi can't save MP, Chhattisgarh or Rajasthan.

N Nagarajan, Secunderabad

Natural calamities

Climate change readiness is the key. Flash floods brought Vermont, New York to its knees recently. Climate change, a global concern, needs priority attention. River Yamuna in spate is creating havoc in low-lying areas. The flood fury in many states in India, especially in Himachal, Uttarakhand, Punjab and UP calls for serious attention, and preparedness in terms of creating basins, small reservoirs, drainage and pavements in all vulnerable areas.

P V Prakash, Mumbai

Domestic communication

The PM, while speaking to the French media, proudly proclaimed that India always stood for peaceful resolution of differences through dialogue and diplomacy with neighbours. Why such lofty principles of tolerance are not followed while dealing with domestic issues? Any voice of dissent is derided as anti-national or undemocratic.

S V Venkatakrishnan, Bengaluru

National service

President Droupadi Murmu is right that public representatives should think beyond themselves for the development of the nation and society. Unfortunately, right after Independence, most leaders worked only for "Me or Mine or My family." It is time our elected representatives, both at the Centre and in states, changed their attitude.

Capt N Viswanathan, Coimbatore

Cheap tactic

It is disheartening to know about the stealing that took place in the flooded areas in Thiruvananthapuram. Over 50 thefts in 45 days are unimaginable. When people flee homes because of the flood and hunt for their survival, stealing from their houses by breaking them open is in no way acceptable.

Arul S J, E-mail

Humble pie

Maharashtra CM Eknath Shinde has to eat humble pie after he was pressured by the BJP to allocate key portfolios like finance and cooperation to the NCP faction led by Ajit Pawar. Shinde seems to be a puppet ruler controlled by the BJP leadership.

N A Joseph, Ettumanoor

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Rahul Gandhi @RahulGandhi
Manipur burns. EU Parliament discusses India's internal matter. PM hasn't said a word on either! Meanwhile, Rafale gets him a ticket to the Bastille Day Parade.

Smriti Z Irani @smritiirani
A man who seeks international intervention in India's internal matters, a frustrated dynast who sullies the 'Make in India' ambition mocks India when our PM receives a National honour.

Mehbooba Mufti @MehboobaMufti
Despite BJP's fake claims that Jammu would benefit immensely after the illegal scrapping of Article 370 it has suffered the most on the economic front.

Rahul approaches SC to challenge conviction

Gandhi's plea says if judgement not stayed, it would lead to throttling of free speech, expression, thought and statement

SHRUTI KAKKAR @ New Delhi

CONGRESS leader Rahul Gandhi, convicted for his alleged remarks on 'Modi' surname, has approached Supreme Court against Gujarat High Court's refusal to stay his conviction.

A bench of Justice Hemant M Prachchhak, while upholding Surat sessions court's verdict on July 7, had remarked that the need of the hour was to have "purity in politics" and termed the two-year jail term as "just, proper and legal." He had noted that a stay on conviction was not the rule, though an exception can be reserved for rare cases, but the present case did not fall in that category.

Urging to stay the high court ruling, Gandhi, in his plea, has said, "If the impugned judgement is not stayed, it would lead to throttling of free speech, free expression, free thought and free statement. It would contribute to the systematic, repetitive emasculation of democratic institutions and the consequent strangulation of democracy, which would be gravely detrimental to the political climate and future of India. If political satire was held to be a base motive, then any political speech that is colourfully critical of the government would become an act of moral turpitude. This would completely corrode the foundations of democracy."

Gandhi's plea said the surname Modi in different parts of the country encompasses different communities and sub-communities, which usually have no commonality.

It argued that the three specific persons named in the speech, who alone could have possibly suffered prejudice, have admittedly not sued. "The complainant simply has a 'Modi' surname from Gujarat, who has neither shown nor have been held to be prejudiced or damaged in any specific or personal sense," it states.

The "intention to defame" has not been proved on the basis of any evidence, it said, adding, "Despite this, a political speech in the course of democratic political activity, critical of economic offenders, and also of Shri Narendra Modi, has been held to be an act of moral turpitude inviting the harshest punishment."

ALSO IN TOP COURT

Collegium recommends three for appointment as permanent judges

The SC collegium has recommended Justice Krishna Rao, Justice Bibhas Ranjan De and Justice Ajoy Kumar Mukherjee of the Calcutta High Court for appointment as permanent judges. It has also named advocates Ranjan Sharma and Bipin Chander Negi and judicial officer Rakesh Kainthla for appointment as judges of Himachal Pradesh High Court.

'Laws on preventive detention harsh; stick to procedures'

Laws on preventive detention are necessarily harsh, curtail the personal liberty of an individual who is kept behind bars without trial and so the procedure prescribed should be strictly adhered to, the Supreme Court has said while ordering the release of a man whose detention was extended twice without the authorities considering his representation.

Prez approves transfer of 3 HC judges

SHRUTI KAKKAR @ New Delhi

Manoj Bajaj

Dinesh Kumar Singh

Gaurang Kanth

PRESIDENT Draupadi Murmu on Saturday notified the transfer of three judges — Justices Gaurang Kanth, Manoj Bajaj and Dinesh Kumar Singh.

Justice Gaurang Kanth has been transferred from the Delhi High Court to Calcutta High Court; Justice Manoj Bajaj has been transferred from Punjab and Haryana High Court to Allahabad High Court, and Justice Dinesh Kumar Singh has been transferred from Allahabad High Court to Kerala High Court.

The transfer of the three judges was recommended by the collegium on July 12, irrespective of their individual requests to permit them to either continue at their parent high courts or transfer them to courts of their choice.

Justice Kanth's transfer was recommended "for better administration of justice". The judge had requested the collegium to consider transferring him to Madhya Pradesh or Rajasthan, but the collegium, while turning the same in the resolution, said that it found no merit in the request.

Against this backdrop even Delhi High Court Bar Association had urged the collegium to reconsider its decision against the proposed transfer. Terming the case as "rarest of rare" DHCBA has also decided to abstain from working on Monday as a token of protest.

NCW calls for codification of Muslim Personal Laws

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

A day after the Law Commission extended the period for submission of suggestions on the Uniform Civil Code (UCC) by two more weeks, the National Commission for Women (NCW) called for the codification of Muslim Personal Laws and revisiting marriage and divorce and guardianship law.

During the discussion, NCW chairperson Rekha Sharma said, "In our pursuit of equality, let's reflect: if a law cannot serve the rights of Hindu, Christian, Sikh and Buddhist women, can we truly say it is just for Muslim women? The need for codified laws is urgent. We need to work towards a legal framework that ensures equal rights for all, regardless of religion."

The thrust of the meeting was 'Review of Muslim Personal Laws and Rights of Muslim Women', according to a statement from NCW. "During the consultation, there was an unequivocal need expressed for the codification of Muslim Personal Law and the need to revisit the marriage and divorce law and guardianship law," NCW said.

NCW further said that the non-codified nature of Muslim personal law poses challenges for Muslim women. "The discussions emphasized that the absence of a Uniform Civil Code has perpetuated inequalities and inconsistencies in our diverse nation, hindering progress towards social harmony, economic growth, and gender justice," it said.

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NCW statement

It said that the meeting also discussed matters such as reforming divorce as a judicial process, with exceptions for divorce by mutual consent, and the need to reform inheritance rights based on universal principles governing succession, both testamentary and intestate.

The commission further said that the focus is on ensuring equal opportunities for all, collaborating with legal authorities to establish a framework that supports children's well-being and promotes gender equality. The principle of natural guardianship should rest jointly with parents as a rule, and custody should be based on the best interests of the child.

The meeting was also attended by Attorney General R Venkataramani, the Additional solicitor general from the Supreme Court, state high courts, Vice Chancellors of renowned law universities and legal luminaries, and civil society organizations.

However, various women's organizations in a joint letter, have written to the Law Commission on Friday that any reforms towards gender-just family laws must draw upon the best practices from the diverse religious laws and customary practices, harmonized with lived realities.

It said the National Family Health Survey-5 (2019-20) reveals the prevalence of polygamy is 2.1 per cent among Christians, 1.9 per cent among Muslims, 1.3 per cent among Hindus, and 1.6 per cent among other religious groups.

"Yet, the focus remains on prohibiting polygamy within Muslim communities, without any apparent intent to secure the rights of women in such bi- or polygamous marriages across communities," it added.

NHAI plans to line highways with native plants at the outset

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

THE National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) has suggested planting trees along highways soon after the machinery and manpower are mobilised to build the roads.

The road authority is desirous of planting indigenous species such as Mahua, Bael (wood apple) and Gular, which it said are "slowly disappearing", besides bamboo.

According to the agency, avenue plantation starts after completion of the projects and it would take three to four years to finish the task. Therefore, it has recommended starting plantation at the early stage of the road development projects.

"It is felt that we may advance the process of plantations with little care and meticulous planning so that by the time the construction of the highway is completed, some tree growth will get established in the avenue plantations on both sides of the national highways. It is advised that after about six months to one year from the appointed date, we may plan for taking up the plantations at least in the last row during the monsoon season," read the guidelines for densification of plantation along national highways, released by the NHAI.

Assam CM takes help in planting saplings

Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma on Saturday met Union Minister for Environment, Forests and Climate Change Bhupender Yadav and sought his support in procuring more than 1 crore saplings to plant in the state under PM's LiFE Mission. Sarma said that Yadav has assured him help to rope in experts from Dehradun for the planting.

As per the standard operating procedure, three rows of plants are developed.The distance between the rows is three metres and the gap between the plants in the first row is also three metres. The distance between plants in the second and third rows is six metres and 8-12 metres respectively. In the new guidelines, the spacing between the plants will be three metres irrespective of the row in future plantation drives.

The NHAI has decided to plant bamboo along the highways wherever it is possible, particularly in the controlled-access highways.

SOMANATH SREEDHARA PANICKER

'IT'S OUR DESTINY TO BE EXPLORERS'

BALA CHAUHAN

SOURAV ROY

OUR destiny is to be explorers, he had said in one of his TED Talks while addressing the academia in his home state, Kerala.

On July 14, when Chandrayaan-3 was successfully launched at 2.35 pm from the Satish Dhawan Space Centre, SHAR, Sriharikota in Andhra Pradesh, the glint in his eyes and the smile on his face gave away a dream on its way to realisation. Chairman, Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO), Somanath Sreedhara Panicker is the man in whom rests India's destiny to explore the unexplored regions of the moon — the South Pole — and become the frontrunner in space with more explorations and crewed missions.

In 2008, India's first lunar mission Chandrayaan-1 first discovered water on the moon. Fifteen years later, after the historic finding, Chandrayaan-3 has been launched to soft-land at 70° to the South Pole to study the unknown, which has a potential to throw up ample data for space scientists and crewed missions.

"We have more scientific interest in this spot (South Pole) because the equatorial region, which is safe for landing, has already been reached and a lot of data is available for that. If we want to make a significant scientific discovery, we have to go to a new areas such as South Pole, but it has higher risks of landing," Somanath said after Chandrayaan-3 launch.

Four weeks from now, if the spacecraft successfully soft-lands on the moon on August 23, India will once again make history.

An aerospace engineer and rocket technologist, Somanath is an expert in the area of system engineering of launch vehicles. His contributions in PSLV and GSLV MkIII were in their overall architecture and propulsion stages of design, structural dynamics designs, separation systems and vehicle integration.

"Somanath is a leader; an expert in rocket technology. He led the team in making the Launch Vehicle Mark-III-M4 rocket, the 'Fat Boy,' which launched Chandrayaan-3. He is also an able manager. He leads from the front," said a former space scientist.

Soon after the launch of Chandrayaan-3 on Friday, Somanath stepped aside from the podium and asked the mission and project scientists — the hidden faces behind the third lunar mission — to step out and speak. He has enough patience to field questions and break down complicated space algorithms to the media.

He has urged scientific institutions in the country to identify talented students and motivate them to use the data emerging from science-based space missions effectively. "Space has traditionally been a government-controlled activity. To become a space-faring nation, we need the private sector/industry/start-ups to invest. ISRO can be an enabler in the paradigm shift," he said in one of his interviews.

Somanath assumed charge as secretary of the Department of Space, and chairman of the Space Commission as well as ISRO on January 14, 2022, after succeeding K Sivan. He was earlier director, Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre, Thiruvananthapuram, and has served as the director of Liquid Propulsion Systems Centre, Valiamala, for two-and-a-half years.

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Born in July 1963 to Sreedhara Panicker and Thankamma at Aroor in Alappuzha district of Kerala, Somanath studied in St Augustine's School in Aroor and later did his graduation in mechanical engineering from TKM College of Engineering, Kollam. He is an alumnus of the Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru, from where he did his masters in Aerospace Engineering, specialising in Structures, Dynamics and Control and was awarded the gold medal.

He joined VSSC in 1985 and was a team leader for the Integration of PSLV during the early phases. His wife Valsala Somanath is with the Goods & Services Tax Department. The couple has two children, who have completed their professional education.

Besides monitoring Chandrayaan-3, Somanath is busy with the upcoming launches, most importantly Aditya L1, which shall be India's first space-based mission to study the sun; NISAR (NASA-ISRO Synthetic Aperture Radar), an observatory in low-earth orbit that will fly two radars, one contributed by each country, to monitor minute changes in earth's surface and the Lunar Polar Exploration, an India-Japan space mission to study water ice lingering in moon's permanently shadowed regions.

"There are many possibilities. You can even travel beyond the solar system, go to a planet in another solar system if you know how to go. It's our destiny to be explorers." He is living his talk.

EXPRESS READ

Fisherfolk's body rejects notification on changes in coastal regulation law

New Delhi: Fisherfolk communities have demanded the rollback of recent notification to amend the Coastal Regulation Zone. These new amendments compromise their livelihoods, degrade resources and promote unabated industrial activity, it is alleged. The National Platform for Small Scale Fish Workers has rejected the Coastal Regulation Zone Amendment notification dated July 3, 2023, saying it is "arbitrary and legally untenable". The CRZ regulation governs industrial and commercial activities close to the coastline to protect the ecosystem near the sea. It requires creating a balance between development and conservation of the coastal environment. Though the new CRZ notification superseded the CRZ 2011 one, the government has made changes to favour the project approved under CRZ 2011 notification and keep it relevant at some extent.

240 PROGRAMMES

Intellectual rights of DD classics up for grabs

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

INTELLECTUAL property rights (IPR) of as many as 240 programmes produced and telecast by Doordarshan are up for grabs as Prasar Bharati has been unable to trace their contract papers. The programmes include iconic serials such as the Shah Rukh Khan starrer *Circus* (1989), *Aarohan* starring R Madhavan and Pallavi Joshi (1996), and *Kotta Basti*, a telefilm directed by renowned filmmaker M S Sathyu.

In a notice on June 21, the Prasar Bharati invited stakeholders associated with the programmes to stake their claim for their rights with full documentation within 45 days. If no claim is received by the deadline, Prasar Bharati will be deemed the absolute owner of the IPR or copyrights over those media assets. It can then broadcast or syndicate them to other media houses.

The list of programmes — of which documents are missing — comprises arts, music and drama productions, including ghazal shows of Asha Bhosle, Jagjit Singh, and popular singers Hussain brothers. The list includes classics like *Ulta-Pulta* of Jaspal Bhatti, *Byomkesh Bakshi* (Rajit Kapoor), *Bhoothnath* (Ashok Kumar, Benjamin Gilani, Arif Zakaria and Neena Gupta) and *Pachpan Khambhe Lal Deewarein* (Aman Verma and Meeta Vashist).

Stakeholders need to submit attested copies of all IPR documents like contracts to justify the claim.

ICMR creates awareness as snake bite cases rise

KAVITA BAJELI-DUTT @ New Delhi

ANTICIPATING the rise in number of snake bite cases with the advent of monsoon, Indian Council of Medical Council (ICMR) is soon going to roll out a series of educational materials in Hindi, English and Odiya for medical officers in the community and public health centres.

The educational material for health workers will also be published in other regional languages, especially those of the states where snake bite cases are rampant.

The idea to come out with these educational materials was also to assist ASHA (accredited social health activists) workers, Auxiliary Nurse Midwives (ANM) and other health workers to identify snake bites early, provide effective first aid, and timely referrals to the nearest healthcare facility.

The material has been jointly prepared by the ICMR-NIRRH (National Institute for Research in Reproductive and Child Health), Mumbai.

The booklet has pictorial depictions of the commonly found snake species, signs and symptoms of snake bite envenomation. It also outlines the first aid treatment and preventive measures. "We hope this material will help in high-burden areas across India and will prove effective in reducing deaths and disabilities associated with snake bite envenomation," said Dr Rahul K Gajbhiye, head of Clinical Research Department ICMR-NIRRH.

8 states saw 70% snake bite cases from 2001-14

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"As part of our national snakebite implementation project, we developed medical officers' flow chart for snake bite treatment. Medical officers in primary health centres and community health centres should be able to treat snake bite cases using the document," Gajbhiye said, "There was a lack of appropriate informational material on snake bite and training manual for ANMs and ASHA workers."

The educational material would be shared with the health workers as they are the first ones to get in contact with the victims. As most of them are unaware of the treatment, the chances of deaths increase.

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SECURITY REVIEW

A senior police officer on Saturday called for efforts to be stepped up to eliminate terror networks in Jammu and Kashmir's twin border districts of Rajouri and Poonch, a spokesperson said.

02 DROWN IN A POND IN JHARKHAND

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	34	28	Mumbai	30	27
Bhopal	31	25	Panaji	30	27
Jaipur	32	27	Patna	35	27
Amritsar	36	29	Lucknow	31	27
Chennai	32	27	Port Blair	29	27
Kolkata	34	28	Imphal	29	22
Srinagar	31	14	Chandigarh	35	26

BJP appoints Tomar as MP poll committee convenor

Faces the task of overcoming incumbency against Chouhan govt

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bhopal

THE BJP on Saturday appointed Union minister for agriculture and farmers' welfare Narendra Singh Tomar as the convenor of party's election management committee in his home state Madhya Pradesh which goes to polls by the year-end.

It now remains to be seen whether Tomar will remain a part of the Modi cabinet or not as speculation is rife about possible revamp of the Union council of ministers.

Tomar's appointment to head the party's poll management committee (the apex poll management body of BJP in the state) marks his return to his home state's politics after nine years. In 2014, Tomar had quit as state BJP president after getting elected as MP from Gwalior Lok Sabha seat. He was inducted into the first council of ministers headed by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

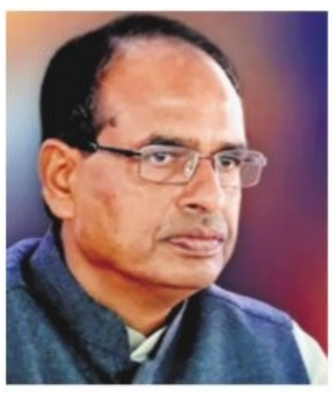
Tomar, who had served as state BJP president in 2009, was appointed to the same post six months before the 2013 assembly polls in the state. He along with CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan had powered the saffron party to a massive win in the 2013 polls with 165 out of the total 230 seats.

With the BJP working at bucking the anti-incumbency of 18 years, there is speculation about Tomar or any other senior party leader replacing state party president VD Sharma, who had completed three years in office in February 2023.

Possibly eyeing to maintain a caste balance between the Brahmins, Kshatriyas and OBCs, the party appointed Tomar as the convener of the poll management committee, while keeping the state BJP and MP CM intact.

As per key sources within the state BJP, not only is the BJP facing all time high incumbency against its government, but even the dissenting voices among its cadres have been on the rise (exposed by a series of switchovers of its former MPs and MLAs to the Congress). Known to have warm ties with party cadres on the grassroots, Tomar's new role is being seen, particularly to infuse fresh confidence among cadres for the upcoming polls.

Tomar's appointment happened on the day, when the two newly appointed poll in-charge and co-in-charge union ministers Bhupendra Yadav and Ashwini Vaishnaw arrived in Bhopal for a series of poll preparations related meetings over the next three days.



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Shah to visit Bengal after BJP's rout in rural polls

PRANAB MONDAL @Kolkata

AFTER large-scale violence and sharp drop of 16% in the vote-share of the BJP in the just-concluded panchayat elections, Union Home minister Amit Shah is likely to visit West Bengal next month.

BJP's state president Sukanta Majumdar, who returned to Kolkata on Saturday after meeting the Union Home minister in Delhi, said, "Amit-ji is expected to visit the state in August and the date will depend on his schedule. He is concerned about the prevailing situation in Bengal and he wants peace to return. He wants no death from any party," said Majumdar.

The saffron camp's Bengal head said Shah is monitoring the deployment of central forces in Bengal. "The central force personnel, who were deployed in the state for the rural polls, will be stationed in Bengal for some more time," he added.

Sources in the Bengal BJP said a list of strife-hit areas would be sent to the office of Shah so that his visit can be added to his Bengal schedule.

Shah termed incidents in the rural polls claiming 39 lives as "bloodcurdling" violence. "Even bloodcurdling violence in Bengal could not stop the BJP from putting up a stellar performance in the panchayat election," he had tweeted.

NDA meet in Delhi: Chirag, Manjhi get invitation from BJP

RAMASHANKAR @Patna

BJP president JP Nadda has invited LJP (Ram Vilas) chief and MP from Jamui Chirag Paswan to attend a meeting of NDA in New Delhi, scheduled on July 18, giving credence to the speculation that Chirag would join the alliance soon.

Nadda has also invited former Bihar chief minister and Hindustani Awam Morcha (HAM) chief patron Jitan Ram Manjhi to participate in the meeting. Manjhi along with son and HAM president Santosh Kumar Suman had recently met Union home minister Amit Shah, announcing their party's decision to join the NDA.

Nadda's invitation to Chirag comes nearly after two years when Lok Janshakti Party had left NDA ahead of 2020 assembly elections. He had contested election on his own and fielded candidates against JD(U), which was with BJP-led NDA that time.

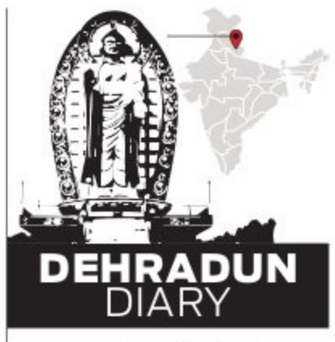
JD(U), however, snapped ties with BJP in August last and joined hands with RJD to form grand alliance government in Bihar. Nitish was elected as leader of grand alliance which then comprised seven parties, including RJD, Congress and Left parties.

In the invitation letter, BJP national chief described Chirag's political outfit as an important part of NDA. Though Chirag preferred to avoid reaction on invitation to NDA meeting, Manjhi was pleased to get the invitation from Nadda.

"It shows the good gesture of BJP chief who has invited us to the meeting to be held in Ashoka Hotel in New Delhi at 5 pm on July 18. PM Narendra Modi and Union home minister Amit Shah will also be there," former minister and HAM chief Suman said.

Union minister of state for home Nityanand Rai had met Chirag in the state capital recently ahead of the latter's meeting with his senior party leaders to discuss his party's future alliance for the 2024 Lok Sabha election and for the 2025 state assembly election.

On Friday evening both the leaders met at dinner. After the meeting, Chirag had said that discussion on his party joining the NDA was going on with BJP for a long time, adding that a couple of rounds of meetings would be held. Chirag has a good command over members of Paswan caste, constituting 6 percent of the state's population.



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Tomato prices go through the roof

Tomato prices have shot up to ₹300 per kg in the state. Due to incessant rains in the last few days, roads in the hilly areas have been closed, making it impossible for tomato crops to reach Doon from areas such as Chakrata, Tuni and Thatyur. Earlier, over one thousand quintals of the vegetable from the hills would reach the market in a day. However, over the last two days, only 400 quintals of tomatoes have reached Doon. Prices of tomatoes have shot up to ₹250 -300 per kg. It is expected that tomatoes and other vegetables from Chintamani Mandi will also reach Doon the next few days.

Clarity soon on rank of ministers of state

BJP national general secretary and state in-charge Dushyant Kumar Gautam has said that the responsibilities of the 'rank of minister of state' in Uttarakhand can be announced any time. When asked if he would also change or expand ministers in the state government, Gautam said, "We will do whatever is required." On delays in allocation of responsibilities, he said, "We have an organizational process. There is no nepotism here, that one family orders and the work is done. We run in a democratic manner. Everyone's guidance and advice is sought. The case is in the final stage. The 'responsibilities of minister of state rank' can be announced at any time."

CM reviews new projects with officials

Chief Minister Pushkar Singh Dhami has directed officials to prepare a report on the proposed Haridwar-Rishikesh Ganga corridor. In a meeting held at the state secretariat, he also asked the officials to brief on the development of new townships in the state. The CM also wanted to know about progress in development of eight new cities. It was informed in the meeting that five townships will be developed in plain areas and three in hilly areas in the state. It was decided in the meeting that one hill station each will be developed in Garhwal and Kumaon region, Dhami instructed the officials to expe.

BJP leader's son, 3 others kidnap 2 teens, gang rape elder sister

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bhopal

IN a shocking incident, two teenage sisters were abducted and elder of the two siblings allegedly gang-raped by four boys (three were minors) including a ruling BJP leader's son in Datia district of MP.

Notably, state's home minister Narottam Mishra is a third-time sitting MLA from Datia district. Not only was elder of the two sisters allegedly gang-raped by the four boys on Friday, but the 19-year-old girl tried to die by suicide after the incident and has been admitted at the government medical college in adjoining Jhansi.

According to the Datia district police superintendent Pradeep Sharma, based on the complaint by the younger of the two sisters, who is 17-year-old, the accused boys have been booked under IPC Sections for gang-rape, wrongful confinement, molestation and also under POCSO Act. "Three have already been detained for questioning and we're waiting for the alleged gang rape survivor 's condition to improve before recording her statements."

EV buyers in UP can now apply for subsidy through govt portal, says Yogi

NAMITA BAJPAI @Lucknow

WITH an intent to promote Electric Vehicles (EVs) in Uttar Pradesh, Yogi government has finally given the go-ahead for application of subsidies on purchase of electric vehicles through the portal.

The customers who have purchased electric vehicles in the state after October 14, 2022, will have to apply on the portal to get a subsidy from the UP government, said the statement issued by the state government here on Saturday.

After applying, the eligible person will receive the subsidy amount in his account after the verification process followed by transport department officials.

Soon, this portal will be functional for applicants. The UP government has decided the conditions for implementation of purchase subsidy incentive scheme, a part of UP Electric Vehicle Manufacturing and Mobility Policy, 2022. Based on this, eligible applicants will get the benefit of the policy.

Under the policy, the date of notification of the Purchase Subsidy Promotion Scheme will be effective from October 14, 2022, to October 13, 2023.

To get the purchase subsidy incentive, eligible applicants will have to submit the application on the web portal 'upevsubsidy.in.'

Eligible applicants will include those who have purchased and registered electric vehicles in Uttar Pradesh after the date of notification of the policy.

Those who do not apply within the prescribed time limit will not get the benefit of the subsidy, said a state government's statement.

In Guj, 33% of people 'very scared' of legal impact of political views online

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @Ahmedabad

NEARLY two out of three respondents in Gujarat are reluctant to express their political or social opinions online for fear of legal action, according to a survey report titled 'Status of Policing in India Report 2023' that was prepared by the NGO Common Cause and Lokniti, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS).

The data show that 33% of those surveyed were extremely scared about inciting legal action by expressing their political opinions online.

The "Status of Policing in India Report 2023" survey findings on people's ability to share their thoughts online are shocking for Gujarat. Even though respondents backed the government's surveillance of mobile phones to quell political protests, many were concerned about their capacity to openly express their social or political beliefs online for fear of legal repercussions.

When asked if they are afraid of legal action if their social media posts on a political or social topic offend certain groups, respondents said yes.

In Gujarat, 33% of people stated they are very scared of legal punishment for sharing political or social opinions online, while 46% said they are somewhat scared. 9 % stated they are less scared, while 8% said they are not scared at all.

Mahashweta Jani, Gujarat coordinator of 'Lokniti' who was involved in the survey, said: "When a single party has ruled for a long time in a state, the overall fear of surveillance within the public is very natural, due to autocracy in Gujarat, people are afraid to express their political opinion."

As per the survey, Gandhinagar has the highest number of CCTV cameras in India. The Gujaratis support large-scale government group surveillance, the people of Gujarat support the most if drones are used in law enforcement. This is especially evident when it comes to government-issued identity documents.

BIG BROTHER WATCHING

WHO PREPARED THE REPORT
NGO Common Cause and Lokniti, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS). It's titled 'The Status of Policing in India Report 2023'

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SALIENT POINTS
- Even though respondents backed govt surveillance of mobile phones to quell political protests, many concerned about their capacity to openly express their views online.
- Survey notes that state capital Gandhinagar has the highest number of CCTV cameras in India
- State consumers subjected to internet tracking by private companies

STATE SAMPLE SIZE 819 residents

WHERE THE SURVEY TOOK PLACE: GANDHINAGAR, BHAVNAGAR, AND JUNAGADH

Delhi deluge: Flood of barbs between BJP & AAP as city totters

AMIT PANDEY @ New Delhi

EVEN though the Yamuna water level started receding in the national capital on Saturday — leaving behind stray dogs, cows, bulls and cats to sink or swim — a severe political squabbling erupted involving the ruling AAP government in the city, the BJP and senior bureaucrats.

The BJP squarely blamed the AAP government, accusing it of mishandling the situation. The party asked Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal to apologize to the affected residents.

AAP leader Atishi targeted the BJP-led Haryana government, questioning it for the deliberate release of water towards Delhi from the Hathnikund barrage. Atishi raised concerns over the absence of water diversion to neighboring states such as Uttar Pradesh and demanded an explanation from the Haryana government. Delhi Minister Saurabh Bharadwaj wrote to Lieutenant-Governor urging him to take action against chief secretary Naresh Kumar, divisional commissioner Ashwani Kumar, and IFC Secretary Ashish Kundra. Bhardwaj accuses these bureaucrats of intentionally disregarding the directives.

The Central Water Commission (CWC) said the Yamuna level stood at 206.97 metres on Saturday at 5 pm. The forecast is it will dip to 206.72 metres. Ashwani Kumar, the revenue secretary and divisional commissioner of the Delhi government expressed optimism about the declining trend trend.

With the Delhi government under attack over the severe waterlogging, Bharadwaj on Saturday alleged that the crisis was caused by the BJP-led Centre and Haryana government intentionally releasing water towards Delhi.

Haryana Home Minister Anil Vij countered the charge saying, "In our state too water came from Punjab and Himachal Pradesh, but we are not blaming anyone." Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal sought to assure the people that efforts were being made to open all five gates of the Yamuna barrage, some of which are jammed with silt, to aid the drainage of floodwater. "The situation will be normal soon if it doesn't rain," Kejriwal said.

In response to the allegations, BJP spokesperson Gaurav Bhatia claimed that the flooding was a direct result of the Kejriwal government's failure to desilt the Yamuna over the past eight years.

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CAPITAL CHAOS

Efforts to open jammed gates of the ITO barrage continue in order to help regulate the water flow with the help of Navy, Army personnel amid a blame-game between the ruling AAP and the BJP, which held each other responsible for the flood in the city

ONE MINISTER EACH IN 6 DISTRICTS OF THE CITY DEPUTED FOR RELIEF WORK

South East	KAILASH GEHLOT
East	SAURABH BHARADWAJ
North East	ATISHI
North	RAJ KUMAR ANAND
Central	IMRAN HUSSAIN
Shahdara	GOPAL RAI

33 trainees of the Indian Statistical Service who were stuck at Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA) evacuated and shifted to a safer location by Delhi Fire Services personnel

Some of the roads — Bhairon Marg from Mathura Road to Ring Road carriageway, Vikas Marg from ITO to Laxmi Nagar both carriageways — opened for traffic

Roads still closed ● Ring Road ● Majnu Ka Tilla ISBT ● Shanti Van ● IP flyover to IP Depot both carriageways ● Ring Road ● IP Depot to ISBT carriageway ● Ring Road from Shanti Van to Rajghat & towards ISBT

KASHMERE GATE ISBT STILL SUBMERGED

NGT has directed MCD and DPCC to file a status report in relation to health hazards

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QUICK TAKE ● Yamuna's water level down to **207.62 METRES** by 7 am on Saturday ● Heavy rain in several parts causing waterlogging and traffic snarls; Saturday's rain may lead to a rise in Yamuna water level ● Met office has predicted **cloudy skies** with light to **moderate rain** and **thundershowers** for Sunday; The maximum and minimum temperatures are likely to hover around **34** and **26 degrees C**, respectively

Mysore District Co-Operative Milk Producers'Societies Union Ltd.,

Bannur Road, Alanahalli Post, Mysuru-570028.
Phone No. 0821-2474475, Fax No.0821-2474476,
e - mail : transportmymul@gmail.com

No:04/Trans/Mymul/T.A/2023 Date: 15.07.2023

Tender Notification (Through e-procurement only)

Mysore Dist. Co-Operative Milk Union Ltd., Mysore Invites tender from eligible Tenderers for the Supply of the following services through e-procurement portal. For the tender document please visit e-procurement platform at **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sl No	Tender Notification No.	Items(Details)	Last Date for Submission of Tender
1	IFT NO:KMF/ 2023-24/SE0168	1.) Transportation Of Milk from BMC Centers to Mega Dairy/Hunsur C.C. in Milk Transportation Tankers for basis of two years contract. 2.) Transportation Of Milk from P.M.P.S. to BMC Centers in Milk Transportation Vehicles for basis of two years contract. 3.) Emergency route for Veterinary Doctors Cars(Tata Indica), Etios Cars for Office work and Mahendra Bolero for Transportation of Liquid Nitrogen for basis of two years contract.	09.08.2023 before 5:00PM

For further information please contact **Superintendent (Transport)**during working hours. **(Mobile No: 6366430832/9449056797).**

Sd/- Managing Director
Mysore District Co-Operative Milk Union Ltd.,

TENDER NOTICE
SAINIK SCHOOL
AMARAVATHINAGAR - 642 102
UDUMALPET TALUK, TIRUPUR DISTRICT

Invites sealed tenders to supply items of Grocery, Bakery ingredients, Vegetables, Fruits, Meat group, Running of Students Stores, Stationery & Printing and Amudham Cafeteria, Hair Cut and Cattle and Horse Feed as enlisted in our School Website **www.sainikschool amaravathinagar.edu.in.** Tender papers to be downloaded from the School website for each category. Filled tenders should be forwarded to the School by Registered post or dropped in tender box kept in the School gate duly enclosed a Demand Draft drawn on SBI Amaravathinagar (BANK CODE No.2191) for Rs. 100/- towards fees for tender participation. Last date for receipt of completed "Tender Documents" is 30 Jul 23. Manufacturers and Wholesale / Authorized dealers with GST Nos will be given priority.

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE
Tender No : 82/2023-24/KWA/ PHC/TVLA

JJM- WSS to Kottangal Panchayath – Design, Construction, trial run and commissioning of 3 MLD WTP and allied works including O&M for 3 years, Supply and laying RW & CW pumping mains and Supply and erection of pump sets. EMD: Rs. 200000; Tender fee: Rs. 13010; Last Date for submitting Tender: 09-08-2023 02:00:pm; Phone : 04692600162
Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
KWA-JB-GL-6-704-2023-24 PH Circle, Pathanamthitta

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE
Tender No : e-Tender Nos.56,57,58/2023-24/SE/PHC/ALP

JJM-CWSS to Harippad - Electromechanical works- Pumps, Transformer, VCB, Main Control Panel, RMU etc. in Raw Water Pump House at Mannar, Augmentation of ARWSS to various Panchayath-construction of 9 M dia intake well cum pump house , Supplying and laying of 400 mm di K9 pipe, Supply and installation of chlorinator unit, Supply and erection of raw water pumpset and booster pumpset and construction of line booster chamber-Construction of 9 m dia intake well cum pump house & operator room , compound wall at Edapon, Pandalam Supplying and laying of 400 mm di k9 pipe connecting RWPM., -SUPPLY AND LAYING OF 13KM PIPE LINE FOR various pts, supply of 90mm and 110mm, 8kg/cm2 PVC pipelines for new house connections. EMD: Rs.2,00,000/- to 1,00,000/-; Tender fee: Rs.9759/- to Rs.13,010; Last Date for submitting Tender: 09-08-2023, 02:00:pm Phone: 0477-2237953. Website: www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

KWA-JB-GL-6-700-2023-24 Superintending Engineer, PH circle, Alappuzha

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE.No. SR-TVC0SnT(TEND)/3/2023/09 dated 13.07.2023
The Senior Divisional Signal & Telecommunication Engineer, Southern Railway, Thiruvananthapuram-14 for and on behalf of The President of India invites e-tenders for the following work.

Sl No.	Tender No.	Name of work
1	TVC-SNT-SIG-23-24-06	Cleaning and Lubrication of interlocked Point chairs under the jurisdiction of ADSTE/TVC [MQU-TVC - NCJ/CAPE-TEN (Excl)] sections for two years in TVC Division.
2	TVC-SNT-SIG-23-24-07	Cleaning and Lubrication of interlocked Point chairs under the jurisdiction of DSTE/ERS [VTK-ERS-MNTT, ERS-KUMM, ERS-CHTS, IPL-VPDM, PNQ- GUV)] section for two years in TVC Division.
3	TVC-SNT-SIG-23-24-08	Replacement of Signal posts, Batteries, Mechanical gadgets and other reliability improvements works at LC gates in TVC Division.

Sl No.	Cash Value (Approx.) ₹	Earnest Money Deposit (₹)	Last Date for Receipt of Tender	Completion Period
1	27,07,254.00	54,200.00	04.08.2023 upto 14.00 Hrs	24 months
2	52,29,922.50	1,04,600.00	04.08.2023 upto 14.00 Hrs	24 months
3	67,72,324.77	1,35,500.00	04.08.2023 upto 14.00 Hrs	6 months

Complete details & tender document will be available at **www.ireps.gov.in**
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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that Smt.N.Kamalamma W/o late A.Narasaraja Bhatta is the owner of immovable property mentioned in the schedule hereunder and she has lost the original Sale Deed dated 14/06/1979 bearing Document No.791/1979-80, Book-1, Volume 1149, at pages 145-147, executed by Sri.Syed Asadulla Saheb in favour of Sri.B.S.Naidu registered in the office of sub registrar, Basavanagudi, Bangalore, pertaining to the schedule property: In case anybody having any claims or in possession of the said document, shall inform the under singed and handover the same within **SEVEN DAYS** from the date of publication of this notice.

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N. JAGADEESH KUMAR, Advocate
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BRANCH OFFICE:NO 22, 1ST FLOOR, KOTAK HOUSE, III G ROAD, BANGALORE-560001

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSETS UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 UNDER RULE 8(5) READ WITH PROVISO TO RULE 9 (1) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULE, 2002.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL AND IN PARTICULAR TO THE BORROWER (S) AND GUARANTOR (S) WHOSE DETAILS ARE GIVEN IN BELOW MENTIONED TABLE THAT THE BELOW DESCRIBED IMMOVABLE PROPERTY MORTGAGED/CHARGED TO THE SECURED CREDITOR THE POSSESSION OF WHICH WAS TAKEN BY THE AUTHORISED OFFICER OF PNB HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED (PNBHFL), SECURED CREDITOR ON 08.11.2017AND PURSUANT TO THE ASSIGNMENT OF DEBT IN FAVOUR OF KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED BY "PNBHFL", WILL BE SOLD ON "AS IS WHERE IS", "AS IS WHAT IS", AND "WHATEVER THERE IS" BASIS ON 8.8.2023 BETWEEN 12:00 PM TO 1:00 PM **WITH UNLIMITED EXTENSION OF 5 MINUTES,** FOR RECOVERY OF RS. 23,47,718/- (RUPEES TWENTY THREE LAKHS FORTY SEVEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTEEN ONLY) DUE AND PAYABLE AS ON 26.08.2017 ALONGWITH APPLICABLE FUTURE INTEREST AND CHARGES APPLICABLE FROM 27.08.2017 TILL REALIZATION, WITH COST AND CHARGES **UNDER THE LOAN ACCOUNT NO.**HOU/BAN/0416/281474, DUE TO KMBL, SECURED CREDITOR **FROM**MRS. MANGALA C AND MR. NATARAJA K M. THE RESERVE PRICE WILL BE RS. 25,00,000/- (RUPEES TWENTY FIVE LAKHS ONLY) AND THE EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT WILL BE RS. 2,50,000/- (RUPEES TWO LAKHS FIFTY THOUSAND ONLY) & LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION OF EMD WITH KYC IS 7.8.2023 UPTO 5:00 PM (IST.)

PROPERTY ADDRESS:- ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF PROPERTY BEARING MUNICIPAL NO. 31, PID NO. 21-53-31 ADMEASURING EAST TO WEST 25 FEET, NORTH TO SOUTH 20 FEET, TOTALLY MEASURING 500 SQ. FT., SITUATED AT AGRAHARA DASARAHALLI, 9A CROSS ROAD, WARD NO. 21, YESHWANTHPURA, HOBLI, BANGALORE NORTH TALUK, BANGALORE PROPERTY BOUNDED AS :EAST: PROPERTY OF NARASIMHAIAH,WEST : GRAMTHANA VACANT LAND,NORTH: PROPERTY OF SMT. KANCHANA,SOUTH : ROAD.

THE BORROWER'S ATTENTION IS INVITED TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUB SECTION 8 OF SECTION 13, OF THE SARFAESI ACT, IN RESPECT OF THE TIME AVAILABLE, TO REDEEM THE SECURED ASSET.

PUBLIC IN GENERAL AND BORROWERS IN PARTICULAR PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT IF IN CASE AUCTION SCHEDULED HEREIN FAILS FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER THEN SECURED CREDITOR MAY ENFORCE SECURITY INTEREST BY WAY OF SALE THROUGH PRIVATE TREATY, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE SECURED CREDITOR.

IN CASE OF ANY CLARIFICATION/REQUIREMENT REGARDING SECURED ASSET UNDER SALE, BIDDER MAY CONTACT TO **MR. VIJAY SUNDRIYAL (+917506590622) & MR. RAJENDER DAHIYA (+91 8448264515).**

FOR DETAILED TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SALE, PLEASE REFER TO THE LINK **HTTPS://WWW.KOTAK.COM/EN/BANK-AUCTIONS.HTML**

PLACE:Bangalore AUTHORIZED OFFICER,
DATE:16-07-2023 KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED

KARNATAKA STATE WAREHOUSING CORPORATION

Ugrana Bhavan, No. 43, Primrose Road, Bangalore-560025.
Tel: 080-29533679. Fax: 080-29533673. Website: www.kswc.in

No. KSWC/ACT/F.9/02/904A/2023-24 Date: 13.07.2023

CORRIGENDUM

In continuation of Tender Notification: NO KSWC/ACT/F.02/FGI/824/2023-24 Dated: 04.07.2023 published in this Newspaper on dated: 05.07.2023, online tenders are invited from I.R.D.A registered Insurance Companies for Insurance for Fidelity Guarantee Floater Insurance on 159 Warehouse Managers and a Cashier at Head Office, Bangalore, for a period of one year from 05.08.2023 to 04.08.2024. The value for the Fidelity Guarantee Floater Insurance Coverage will be Rs. 1.00 Crore per person (Warehouse Centre) total sum assured of Rs. 20.00 Crores (Rs.Twenty Crores Only) for 159 Warehouse Managers and a Cashier at Head Office total 160 Persons.

1) The last date for submission of tenders through e-portal has been extended **up to 28.07.2023, 3.00 P.M.** 2) Date of opening of Technical Bid of the Tender: **31.07.2023, 3.00 P.M** 3) Date of opening Financial Bid of the Tender: **01.08.2023, 3.00 P.M.**

Sd/-
DIPR/CP/565/AKAR/2023-24 **MANAGING DIRECTOR**

punjab national bank

CIRCLE OFFICE: SASTRA Department: 26-27, Raheja Towers, M.G.Road, Bangalore-560001. E-Mail: cs8191@pnb.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

02077815000237 BO : Richmond Road (SOL : 020710)

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of the **Punjab National Bank** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of Powers conferred under Section 13 read with Rule 3 the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated **29.04.2023** calling upon **Shri Christy Arul Sundar Sing S/o. R. Aruldoss** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.13,69,268.22 (Rupees Thirteen Lakh Sixty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Eight and Twenty Two Paise Only)** being the dues as on **01.03.2023** until payment in full within 60 days from the date of notice/date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgagor/guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **14th July 2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Punjab National Bank for an amount of **Rs.13,69,268.22 (Rupees Thirteen Lakh Sixty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Eight and Twenty Two Paise Only)** being the dues as on **01.03.2023** and interest and charges from **02.03.2023**

The borrower's / guarantor's / mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of section 13(8) of the Act in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of immovable property

SL.	Facility	Security
1	Term Loan Housing Loan	All that part and parcel of the immovable residential converted site bearing No. 154/A, Khata No. 451, carved in and out of converted land bearing Sy.No. 70/1,70/2,71,72/1,72 & 53 situated at Abbigere Village, presently within the limits of BBMP Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk duly converted for non agriculture residential purpose vide order No. B.DIS.ALN.SR(N) 75/1983-84 dated 04.04.1984 and B.DIS.ALN.SR(N) 85/1983-84 dated 28.04.1984 by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore respectively, measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South 15 Feet total admeasuring 600 Sq.ft. and bounded on the East By : Site No. 145, West By : Road, North By : Remaining Portion of the Site No. 154 and South By : Site No. 155.

Date: 14.07.2023
Place: Bangalore

For Punjab National Bank (SECURED CREDITOR)
(Chandrajeet Kumar)
(Chief Manager & Authorised Officer)

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BENGALURU

No. 4, Residency Road, LIC Jeevan Mangal Building, Hayes Road, Bengaluru - 560025.

Form No. 14
(See Regulation 33 (2))
By Regd. A/D, Dasti failing which by Publication.

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTIONS 25 TO 28 OF THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS DUE TO BANKS AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS ACT, 1993 AND RULE 2 OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT,1961

RC 10651/2016

Vijaya Bank, (Bank of Baroda)
J. P. Nahar Branch, Bengaluru. Certificate Holder

Versus

SRI. K. VEERACHAR AND OTHERS

To,

1) **Sri. K. Veerachar** S/o Sri. Kalachar, No. 458, 7th Cross, 7th Main, 2nd Phase, Yeshwanthapura, Bengaluru - 560022.
2) **Sri. Chandrashekhar V** S/o Sri. K Veerachar, No.458, 7th Cross, 7th Main, 2nd Phase, Yeshwanthapura, Bengaluru - 560022.
3) **Ms. Lathamani V** D/o Sri. K. Veerachar, No.458, 7th Cross, 7th Main, 2nd Phase, Yeshwanthapura, Bengaluru - 560022.
4) **Miss. Aradhya RBI Staff Quarters**, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru - 560040. Certificate Debtor

This is to notify that as per the Recovery Certificate issued in pursuance of orders passed by the Presiding Officer, **DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL, BENGALURU (DRT-1) in OA/13/2013 an amount of Rs. 17,88,697.00 (Rupees Seventeen Lakhs Eighty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Seven Only)** along with pendentelite and future interest and cost till realization.

2. You are hereby directed to pay the above sum within 15 days of the receipts of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made in accordance with the Recovery of Debts Due to Bank and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 and Rules there under.
3. You are hereby ordered to declare on an affidavit the particulars of of yours assests on or before the next date of hearing.
4. You are hereby ordered to appear before the undersigned on **12.05.2021 at 10:30 a.m.** for further proceedings.
5. In addition to the sum aforesaid, you will also be liable to pay:

a) Such interest as is payable for the the period commencing immediately after this notice of the certificate / execution proceedings.
b) All costs, charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and warrants and other processes and all other proceedings taken for recovering the amount due.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on this date 18.02.2021

(Rajashekharan .R)
Recovery Officer - I,
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL,
BENGALURU(DRT-1)

Note: Attention is invited to Rule 16 of the Second Schedule of the Income Tax Act 1961 read with recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 which is reproduced below : "Rule 16(1) where a notice has been served on a deaulter under Rule 2, the defaulter or his representative under Rule 2, the defaulter or his or his representative in interest shall not be competent to mortgage, charge, lease or otherwise deal with any property belonging to him except with the permission of the Debts Recovery Officer, nor shall any civil court issue any process against such property in execution of a decree for the payment of money.
2) Where an attachment has been made under this schedule any private transfer or delivery of the property attached or of any interest therein and any payment to the defaulter of any debt, dividend or other monies contrary to such attachment, shall be void, as against all claims enforceable under the attachment".

13/2023
Recovery Certificate No. 10651
SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.205, situated at Nagadevanahalli, 7th Cross, Bhuvaneshwarinagar, Bangalore-56 and bounded by : East by : Site No. 206, West by : Site No. 207, North by : Road, South by : Site.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ನಗರಸಭೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಯಾದಗಿರಿ
ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ ಯಾದಗಿರಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ
ದೂರವಾಣಿ: 08473–252312 E-mail : itstaff_ulb_yadgiri@yahoo.com
Website: www.yadgir@yahoo.com

ಸಂ: ಸ್ಸಸಯಾ:ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಶಾಖೆ:ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ:2023–24 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 15–07–2023

ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಂದುವರೆಸಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (ದ್ವೀ–ಲಕೋಟೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಯಾದಗಿರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಯಾದಗಿರಿ ನಗರಸಭೆಯ ಪೌರಾಯುಕ್ತರು ಇವರು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಅಧಿನಿಯಮ 1999 ಹಾಗೂ ನಿಯಮಗಳು 2000ರ ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ 2023–24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಸ್ವಚ್ಛ ಭಾರತ ಮೀಷನ್ 2.0 ಪಾರಂಪರಿಕ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯದ ಯೋಜನೆಯ ಅನುದಾನದಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT 251ಗೆ ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲನಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಇಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲನಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಫರ್ಮ/ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಕಂಪನಿ/ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು Standard Tender Document ಗಳ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in ರ ಮೂಲಕ ಕೆಳಗೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವ ದಿನಾಂಕದಂದು ಆನ್ ಲೈನ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಈ ಕಛೇರಿಯ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ www.yadgircity.mrc.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಡಬಹುದು ಹಾಗೂ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದು.

1) ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಪ್ರಾರಂಭ ದಿನಾಂಕ : 15–07–2023 ರಂದು 10.00 ಗಂಟೆಯಿಂದ 2) ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 24–07–2023 ರಂದು ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ 5.30ರ ವರೆಗೆ 3) ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ : 26–07–2023 4) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ : 02–08–2023.

ಸಹಿ/– ಪೌರಾಯುಕ್ತರು,
ನಗರಸಭೆ, ಯಾದಗಿರಿ

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಸಂ.ಇ/ಯಾದಗಿರಿ/67/ಕೆ.ಎಸ್.ಎಂ.ಪಿ.ಎ/2023–24

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TENDER – CUM – AUCTION SALE NOTICE

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RE CONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, borrowers **1) Mr. Muniramaswamy B S/o Byrappa, Residing at No. 16 and 17, 'Daivakrupa Nilaya" Uttarahalli Main Road, Chikkalasandra, Bangalore-560061, 2) Mrs. Manjula M** W/o Muniramaswamy B, Residing at No. 16 and 17,'Daivakrupa Nilaya" Uttarahalli Main Road, Chikkalasandra, Bangalore 560 061, **3) Mr. Suresh M** S/o Muniramaswamy B, Residing at No. 16 and 17, 'Daivakrupa Nilaya", Uttarahalli Main Road, Chikkalasandra, Bangalore-560 061. **Personal guarantee : Dr. Kumar** S/o Muniramaswamy B, Residing at No. 16 and 17, 'Daivakrupa Nilaya", Uttarahalli Main Road, Chikkalasandra, Bangalore 560 061 having failed to repay the debt in respect of borrowing from **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-op Bank Ltd., Jayanagar Branch, Bangalore,** The total amount due and payable by them jointly and severally as per the agreed terms and conditions is **Rs.10,04,57,032/- (Rupees Ten Crores Four Lakhs fifty Seven thousand Thirty two Only) as on 23-07-2019, along with interest at the applicable rate and costs thereon.**

Whereas the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorized Officer has taken possession of the mortgaged property including those more fully described hereunder on , and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Description of Property	Date & Time of Opening Tender and Place of Auction	Reserve Price & EMD Amount
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing No.20 and 21, formed out of survey No.62/1, situated at Chikkallasandra village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Now comes under B B M P bearing katha No.50/48/20,21, ward No.197-Vasanthapura, totally measuring 5445 Sq feet and building there on & bounded on: East by: Road, West by: KSRTC Layout, North by: Property Nos 16 and 17, South by: Property No.22.	18-07-2023 at 11.00 AM ..... Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar Bangalore-10.	Rs.6,78,00,000/- (Rupees Six Crore Seventy Eight Lakh Only) EMD: Rs. 67,80,000/- (Rupees Sixty Seven Lakh Eighty Thousand Only)

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: - (1) The Tender form can be collected from **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2ND Cross, 4TH Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar Bangalore-560010. (Mob: 9880882881, 9449027476)** on all working days during office hours. **(2)** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of **"Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd.," payable at Bangalore.** The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender – cum – Auction Sale Notice. **(3)** Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2nd Cross, 4TH Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar Bangalore 560010 Latest by 17-07-2023 before 5.00 P M.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected. **(4)** The property **"SHALL NOT"** be sold below the reserve price. **(5)** In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **(6)** The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **(7)** The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorized Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **11.00 PM on 18.07.2023. (8)** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorized Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **(9)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **(10)** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **(11)** The Authorized Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **(12)** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **(13)** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between **10.00 AM and -5.00 PM** at his expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. (14) The property is put for sale on **"AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION".** The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property. **(15)** Bidder can bid for all or any one of the lots by submitting their EMD amount for the individual property. **(16)** In case the bidder is a company, a copy of the resolution passed by the Board of Directors authorizing the actual bidder to participate in the auction on behalf of the Company should be submitted. **(17)** If the sale price is more than **Rs.50,00,000=00 (Rupees Fifty Lakhs Only),** then the auction purchaser/successful bidder has to deduct 1% of the Sale Price as TDS in the name of owner of the property & remit to Income Tax Department as per Section 194 IA of Income Tax Act and only 99% of the Sale Price has to be remitted to the Bank. The Sale Certificate will be issued only on receipt of Form 26QB & Challan for having remitted the TDS.

For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorized Officer, Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2nd Cross, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar Bangalore-560010 (Mob: 9880882881, 9449027476) -Mail: securitization@tgmcbank.com.

Place : Bangalore
Date : 15.07.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
TUMKUR GRAIN MERCHANTS CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Shiva Shakthi Stores, B S Kishore & B S Prema Leela/ Survey No.482/4 Plot No.78-A Mookandapalli Village Hosur Taluk Krishnagiri Hosur- 635126/ 015660000056.	In Mookonda Palli Village of Hosur Taluk, Attached To The Registration District of Krishnagiri and Registration District of Hosur and Also Attached To The Village Panchayat Limits of Mookandapalli And Union Council of Hosur. Sy No.482/4, Dry EXT.HEC.0.21.0(Ac.0.52 Cents) Asst.0.71, Belongs To The Vendor In The Aforesaid Manner And The Said Land Has Been Converted Into The House Plots In Which Plot No.78-A Now Being Sold To The Vendee In The Following Boundaries And Measurements. East: Private Property West: Road North: Plot Number: 77-A South: Remaining Land Belongs To The Vendor Within These Boundaries Measuring: East To West on The North Side: 15.6 Feet East To West on The South Side: 10 Feet North To South on The East Side: 56.0 Feet North To South on The West Side: 56.0 Feet Total 714 Square Feet of Vacant Land Covered Under This Deed of Sale. Date of Symbolic Possession 11th July 2023.	08-03-2023 Rs. 16,08,000.00/-	Hosur

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : July 15, 2023 **Authorized Officer**
Place : Bangalore **ICICI Bank Limited**

YOGAKSHEMAM LOANS LIMITED

3rd Floor, Ottappath Tower, Aswini Junction, Thiruvambady P. O., Thrissur, Kerala, 680022.

GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

The borrowers, in specific and the public, in general, are hereby notified that public auction of the gold ornaments of pledged in the below accounts is proposed to be conducted at the following branches on **29.07.2023** from 10 a.m. onwards. We are auctioning gold ornaments of defaulted customers who have failed to make payment of his/her loan amount despite being notified by registered letters. Unauctioned items shall be auctioned on any other days without further notice. Changes in venue or date (if any) will be displayed at auction centre and on website without any further notice. List of Pledges:

HONGASANDRA : 210159101048, 1096, 1131. **HORAMAVU :** 210156100436. **HOSA ROAD :** 210145101069, 1139. **K G HALLI :** 210150101072, 1099, 1104. **KAMMANAHALLI :** 210118105542, 5543, 5551, 5566, 5568, 5569, 5577, 5579, 5580, 5791. **KATHRIKUPPA :** 210131102808. **MANGAMMANAPALYA :** 210162100306. **THILAK NAGAR :** 210123101909, 1910. **WILSON GARDEN :** 210132102328, 210166100107. **CHIKKABANAVARA :** 210127103602, 3624, 3645, 3647, 3654, 3668, 3669, 3824, 3859. **DODDABOMMASANDRA :** 210133103099, 3441. **HESARAGHATTA :** 210165100838, 839, 866, 880, 890, 1180, 1188. **MATHIKERE :** 210114107137. **NELAMANGALA :** 210140102448, 2511, 2570. **PEENIYA :** 210134103521, 3524, 3569, 3576, 3959, 3985. **RT NAGAR :** 210111107392, 7393, 7410, 7445, 7730, 7741. **SUNKADAKATTE :** 210115106797, 6817, 6824, 6837, 6846, 6856, 7143, 7161, 7192, 7213, 7835, 7836. **T DASARAHALLI :** 210121103619. **YELAHANKA :** 210139100978, 1013. **KUPPAM :** 210193100111. **MADANAPALLE :** 210188100126. **VENKATAGIRIKOTA :** 210192100101, 106, 158, 162, 163, 169. **BANGARPET :** 210186100066, 113, 229, 250. **CHINTAMANI :** 210146101466, 1485, 1488, 1529, 2052, 2131, 2152, 2198. **DODDABALLAPUR :** 210143101601, 1635, 1648, 1665, 1892, 1948. **GAURIBIDANUR :** 210144102093, 2099, 2121, 2122, 2132. **HOSAKOTE :** 210

US sending F-16 FIGHTERS to the Gulf region

THE US IS BEEFING UP ITS USE OF FIGHTER JETS AROUND THE STRATEGIC STRAIT OF HORMUZ TO PROTECT SHIPS FROM IRANIAN SEIZURES, A SENIOR DEFENSE OFFICIAL SAID ON FRIDAY

F-16

TO PROTECT SHIPS FROM IRANIAN SEIZURES

Speaking to Pentagon reporters, the official said the US will send F-16 fighter jets to the Gulf region this weekend to augment the A-10 attack aircraft that have been patrolling there for more than a week

The move comes after Iran tried to seize two oil tankers near the strait last week, opening fire on one of them

The defence official said the F-16s will give air cover to the ships moving through the waterway and increase the military's visibility in the area

The US Navy said in both instances the Iranian naval vessels backed off when the USS McFaul, a guided-missile destroyer, arrived on the scene

MULLING OVER MILITARY OPERATIONS

In addition, the defence official told reporters the US is considering a number of military options to address increasing Russian aggression in the skies over Syria, which complicated efforts to strike an Islamic State group leader last weekend

The official declined to detail the options, but said the US will not cede any territory and will continue to fly in the western part of the country on anti-Islamic State missions

The Russian military activity, which has increased in frequency and aggression since March, stems from growing cooperation and coordination between Moscow, Tehran and the Syrian government to try to pressure the US to leave Syria, the official said

F-16 is a compact, multi-role fighter aircraft which is highly manoeuvrable and has proven itself in air-to-air combat and air-to-surface attack. It provides as a relatively low-cost, high-performance weapon system

From US to Europe, world bakes under heatwaves

Italy is facing weekend predictions of historic highs with the health ministry issuing a red alert for cities like Rome

ROME

RECORD heat is forecast around the world from the United States, where tens of millions are battling dangerously high temperatures, to Europe and Japan, in the latest example of the threat from global warming.

Italy faces weekend predictions of historic highs with the health ministry issuing a red alert for 16 cities including Rome, Bologna and Florence.

The meteo centre warned Italians to prepare for "the most intense heatwave of the summer and also one of the most intense of all time."

The thermometer is likely to hit 40°C in Rome by Monday and even 43°C on Tuesday, smashing the record 40.5°C set in August 2007. The islands of Sicily and Sardinia could wilt under temperatures as high as 48°C, the European Space Agency warned—"potentially the hottest temperatures ever recorded in Europe."

"Parts of the country could see highs as much as 44°C on Saturday," according to the national weather service EMY. The city of Thebes sweated under 44.2°C on Friday.

The Acropolis, Athens's top tourist attraction, closed for a second day straight on Saturday during the hottest hours with 41°C expected, as did several parks in the capital.

Regions of France, Germany, Spain and Poland are also baking in searing temperatures.

Parts of eastern Japan are also expected to reach 38°C to 39°C on Sunday and Monday, with the meteorological agency warning temperatures could hit previous records.

Swimmers enjoy the sea at Glyfada suburb, in Athens, Greece on Saturday | AP

Spane evacuates 500 people to avoid a wildfire

Barcelona: Spanish authorities have preemptively evacuated some 500 people to avoid a wildfire that has broken out on the Canary island of La Palma. The regional president of the Canary Islands, Fernando Clavijo, said on Saturday that the blaze has destroyed 11 homes within the relatively small burned zone of 140 hectares.

Meanwhil, the Arizona state capital of Phoenix has recorded 15 straight days above 43°C, with Saturday expected to reach well above that mark.

In Houston, residents have been asked to begin conserving energy from 2.00 to 10.00 pm Saturday through Monday, in an attempt by provider Reliant Energy to mitigate high demand.

California's famous Death Valley, one of the hottest places on Earth, is also likely to reach new peaks on Sunday, with the mercury possibly rising to 54°C. Smoke from wildfires in western Canada, meanwhile, was creating unhealthy air quality conditions in parts of the upper-central US. *AFP*

Torrential rain in South Korea leaves 26 dead

SEOUL

DAYS of heavy rain in South Korea have left at least 26 people dead and 10 others missing in landslides, floods and other incidents, the government said on Saturday.

The 26 fatalities were reported on Friday and Saturday, all in the central and southeastern regions, the Ministry of the Interior and Safety said in a report.

An earlier ministry report on Saturday morning said five persons died after landslides caused by torrential downpours buried their houses. Two others also died in landslide-related incidents. But the latest ministry report didn't explain the cause of deaths for the additional fatalities.

Ministry officials said torrential rains have also left 10 people missing since Tuesday, and 13 others injured since Thursday.

South Korea has been pounded by heavy rains since July 9. The ministry report said the rainfall had forced about 5,570 people to evacuate and left 25,470 households without electricity in the past several days. It said more than 4,200 people remained in temporary shelters as of Saturday night.

Also on Saturday, 20 flights were cancelled, and the country's regular train service and some of its bullet trains were suspended, the ministry said.

It said nearly 200 roads remained closed.

South Korea's weather agency said some parts of the country will continue to receive heavy rain until Sunday. President Yoon Suk Yeol, who was visiting Ukraine on Saturday, asked Prime Minister Han Duck-soo to mobilise all available resources to respond to the disaster, according to Yoon's office. *AP*

Rescue workers search for people in a house that collapsed from a landslide in Yeongju, South Korea on Saturday | AP

S Korea to expand support for Ukraine

KYIV

SOUTH Korean President Yoon Suk Yeol made a surprise visit to Ukraine on Saturday, offering support for the invaded country. Yoon's office said he travelled to Ukraine with his wife, Kim Keon Hee, following trips to Lithuania for a NATO summit and to Poland. It's his first visit since Russia invaded Ukraine in February 2022. Yoon toured Bucha and Irpin, two small cities near Kyiv where bodies of civilians were found in the streets and mass graves after Russian troops retreated from the capital region last year. He laid flowers at a monument to the country's war dead, before he sat down for a summit with Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy.

During a joint news conference with Zelenskyy, Yoon announced plans to expand support shipments to Ukraine but didn't touch upon weapons supplies. Yoon began his statement with a mention of the UN forces' support of South Korea during the 1950-53 Korean War that helped repel a North Korean invasion. "The current situation facing Ukraine reminds us of the past situation of the Republic of Korea," Yoon said. Yoon said that South Korea will increase the shipments of nonlethal military items such as body armour and helmets this year. He said that South Korea will also provide humanitarian aid worth $150 million this year, up from $100 million last year. He said that South Korea has also sent the de-mining equipment and other aid items that had been requested by Ukraine.

Yoon said that he and Zelenskyy agreed on cooperating on post-war reconstruction efforts in Ukraine. Yoon said South Korea will also launch a scholarship fund named after him and Zelenskyy to expand support for Ukrainian students in South Korea. Zelenskyy thanked Seoul for its "firm support of Ukraine's sovereignty and territorial integrity" and the "significant political, security, economic and humanitarian aid" it has supplied since the start of Russia's invasion.

South Korea isn't a NATO member, but like Japan, Pakistan and a handful of other countries, it's considered a global partner of the military alliance. *AP*

South Korean President Yoon Suk Yeol (L) and Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy stand for photos after delivering statements on Saturday | AP

Indian-origin Singapore minister arrested in top-level graft probe

SINGAPORE

SINGAPORE'S transport minister has been arrested in connection with a rare top-level corruption probe that has also trapped a billionaire hotel tycoon, the country's anti-graft body has said.

Transport Minister S Iswaran was "arrested on 11 July 2023" and "subsequently released on bail, while his passport was impounded," the Corrupt Practices Investigation Bureau (CPIB) said in an emailed statement late Friday, confirming the arrest for the first time.

S Iswaran

"As part of bail conditions, subjects' passports are impounded. Subjects on bail can, however, make requests to travel overseas. CPIB will assess such requests on a case-by-case basis," the Singapore daily quoted the CPIB spokesperson as saying.

Iswaran is a senior member of the ruling People's Action Party and has been on a leave of absence from his official duties, was assisting the CPIB with an investigation into a case it had uncovered.

Iswaran's political career spans more than 26 years since he was first elected in 1997 as a Member of Parliament for West Coast GRC.

Before he was appointed to the Cabinet in 2006, he was on several government parliamentary committees and was the deputy speaker of Parliament from September 2004 to June 2006.

He has been Minister for Transport since May 2021 and has been concurrently minister-in-charge of trade relations at the Ministry of Trade and Industry (MTI) since May 2018.

The bureau has not disclosed details of the investigation that has gripped the city-state, a global financial hub reputed to be among the least corrupt countries in the world. *Agencies*

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Property: All that piece and parcel of South Western Portion of Residential Property bearing New Site no. 01 (old no. 1), Municipal no. 1, PID no. 57-931-1, situated at 1st main Road, JP Nagar Ist Phase, Saraki Village, Uttarahalli Hobli and Bangalore South Taluk, presently comes under the limits of BBMP ward no. 57 measuring East to West (30+17)/2 feet, North to South (33+47)/2 feet, in all measuring 943 sq. ft and bounded on the East by Gopala Reddy's Property and remaining portion of the same property retained by the vendor, West by Postman S.A. Gopala Reddy's Property, North by BDA Property (Venkatappa Property) and South by Road.

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	**Rs 63,00,000/-**
EMD Amount	**Rs 6,30,000/-**
Bid incremental amount	Rs 1,00,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	**04-08-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM**
Property ID No	IDIB3247620193

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Date:14-07-2023 **Sd/-Authorised Officer,**
Place :Bangalore **Indian Bank**

PUBLIC CAUTION NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my Clients, **(1) Sri.D.MOHAN KUMAR,** Aged about 28 years S/o. Sri.V.S.Dasegowda & Late Smt.L.Shashikala, Grandson of Late Smt.N.Padmamma & Sri.M.Lakappa, **(2) Sri.D.CHETAN KUMAR,** Aged about 27 years, S/o. Sri.V.S.Dasegowda & Late Smt.L.Shashikala, Grandson of Late Smt.N.Padmamma & Sri.M.Lakappa, Both Residing at No.103, Avalahalli Colony,Virgonagar Post, Old Madras Road, Bangalore-560 049 are the true and absolute joint owners of the Schedule Properties they having succeeded/inherited the same from their **Grand Parents Late Smt.N.Padmamma & Late M.Lakkappa and Great Grand Father-Late Sri.N.Nanjundappa.**

The general public are informed that (**1) Smt.L.VINUTHA,** Aged about 45 years, D/o. Late Smt.N.Padmamma, W/o.Sri.Venkatesh Babu, and (2) **Sri.N.VENKATESH BABU,** Aged about 62 years S/o.Sri.A.C.Narasimhaiah, Both Residing at No.20, 1st Main Road, Kasturba Nagar, Opp Padavi Poorva College, Mysore Road, Bangalore-560 026, have created a **fraudulent and forged will dated 10.12.2015** in their names from **Smt.N.Padmamma** by excluding the other daughters and grandchildren.

Hence my clients have instituted the Suit in **O.S No.11/2021 now pending on the file of the Hon'ble 3rd Additional Senior Civil Judge, at Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore** for (i) Declaration that the WILL dated 10.12.2015, Registered as Document No.99/2015-16, Stored in CD No.GNRD113, Registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar Gandhinagar in respect of all the properties mentioned in the said will is not binding on the Plaintiffs and to consequently cancel the same (b) To declare that the Schedule Properties are the Hindu Undivided Joint family properties and that the Plaintiffs are jointly entitled to 1/3rd share each in the said properties (c) For the relief of Permanent Injunction restraining the Defendants from interfering with the Plaintiffs peaceful possession and enjoyment of the Suit Schedule Properties and for such other reliefs and also fied Revenue Appeals before the **Court of the Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore North Sub Division, Kandaya Bhavana, K.G. Road, Bangalore** in **R.A(BE) No.184/2023** & **R.A(BE) No.185/2023** and the Mutation/Revenue entries made in their names by the Thasildar, K.R.Puram, Bangalore are stayed by the said authority;

Therefore general public are cautioned not to entertain/deal with the said **Smt.L.VINUTHA & Sri.N.VENKATESH BABU** or any of their family members or transact with them in respect of the Schedule Properties and other Suit Schedule Properties based on any of their misrepresentations without informing my clients or the undersigned if done so they will be doing so at their risk and peril.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

Item No.1 : All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing **Survey No.58/2**, Situated at **Cheemsandra Village,** Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk measuring an extent of **23 Guntas (Twenty Three Guntas)** and bounded as follows:
East by : Land of Ramaiah; **West by :** Land of Chinnamma;
North by : Land of Benganhalli Ramaiah; and **South by :** Land of Krishna.

Item No.2 : All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing **Survey No.59/3A,** Situated at **Cheemsandra Village,** Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk measuring an extent of **26 Guntas (Twenty Six Guntas)** and bounded as follows:
East by : Sy.No.58/3; **West by :** Land of Patel Venkatappa;
North by : Private Property; and **South by :** Private Property.

Item No.3 : All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing **Survey No.6/1,** Situated at **Bidareagrahara Village,** Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk measuring an extent of **39 Guntas (Thirty Nine Guntas)** and bounded as follows:
East by : Land of Ramaiah; **West by :** Sy.No.7;
North by : Property of Patel Avalappa; and **South by :** Property of Munivenkatappa.

Item No.4 : All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property **bearing Survey No.7,** Situated at Bidare Agrahara Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk measuring an extent of **1 Acre 13 ¾ Guntas (One Acre Thirteen and Three Fourth Guntas)** and bounded as follows: **East by :** Land in Sy.No.6; **West by :** Road;
North by : Property of Patel Avalappa; and South by : Property of Ganeshappa @ Munishamappa's land.

VELLANKI RAVI, Advocate
Place: Bengaluru **st No. 321, 1 Floor, C.M.H. Road, Indiranagar,**
Dated: 16-07-2023 **Bangalore-38. Tel: 98441 21658 (Mobile)**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The undersigned advocate submit on behalf of my client **UDAIYAPPAN.A S/O. LATE. ADAIKKAPPAN** Aged about 70 years, residing at No. 5, 6th A Main, Punyabhoomi Layout, Near Govt. School, Kalkere, Bengaluru 560 043. and others have filed the death petition for the death certificate of deceased by name **R.M. ADAIKKAPPAN S/o. Late RAMASWAMY, as he was died on 07-01-2015** at No. 5, 6th A Main, Punyabhoomi Layout, Near Govt. School, Kalkere, Bengaluru 560 043. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same or appear before the Hon'ble 23rd A.C.M.M. Court **on 31/07/2023 at 11-00 AM** in **C.Misc. No.2412/2023.**

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- SHERISTEDAR, COURT OF THE 23rd A.C.M.M. BENGALURU
Shalini, ADVOCATE

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client is intended to Purchase the **Vacant Site** bearing **No.101,** which property is more fully detailed in the schedule, from **Sri.Pujari Shyam Sundar,** S/o.Sri.P.Srinivasulu, Aged about 41 years, R/at No.C/o. Lakshmana Gowa and Bhagyamma House, 1st Floor, Ward No.22, Opp. to Badmintan Hall, Shanthinagar, Devanahali-562 110, for valuable consideration.

Any person/s or financial institutions claiming any charge, lien, right, title agreement, interest or share, claim on the schedule property or objection to such sale in favour of our clients, should lodge his/her/their/its objection or claim with supporting documents with the undersigned within **07 days** of the issuance of this public notice, failing which, my client will proceed with the purchase of the schedule property on the basis that there are no claims or objections with regard to the purchase of the schedule property and no claim will be entertained thereafter.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Vacant Site **No.101,** formed out of converted land in Sy.No.29, formed in the layout known as **"EPI HERITAGE"** formed out of residentially converted lands (duly converted vide official Memorandum bearing No.ALN (NA) (Jala) SR 66/2010-11, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), measuring 09 Acres 15 Guntas in Sy.No.29 and 60 of **Gadenahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk** as per layout plan sanctioned by BIAPPA vide order No.BIAPPA/TP/LAO/30/2010-11, measuring East to West 60 Feet or 18.288 Meters and North to South 40 Feet of 12.192 Meters totally measuring 2400 Square Feet or 222.97 Square Meter and presently falling within the administrative jurisdiction of Bettahalasuru Village Panchayath and assigned property No.396/101 and E-Khatha No. 150200201300600384 and bounded on the:-

East by: Site No.90, West by: 40 Feet Road, North by : Site No.102 and South by: Site No.100

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HTN LAW ASSOCIATES
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Property: All that piece and parcel of eastern portion of the property house list no. 22, Khatha No. 22/34 formed out of property no. 34 in the layout known as Whitecity Project BBMP Khata no. 22/34 in ward no. 53, New PID no. 053-W0258-52 situated at Seegehalli, measuring East to West 19 feet and North to South 37 feet, totally measuring 703 sq.ft. along with vacant space measuring 719 sq.ft. in all measuring 1410 sq.ft. **Boundaries:**North By : 30 ft road,South By : Part of plot nos. 25 and 26,East By : Private Property,West By : Remaining Western portion of plot no. 22.

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	**Rs 72,66,000/-**
EMD Amount	**Rs 7,26,000/-**
Bid incremental amount	**Rs 25,000/-**
Date and time of e-auction	**04-08-2023 11.00 AM TO 2.00 PM**
Property ID No	**IDIB30252183276**

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Date:14-07-2023, Place :Bangalore **Sd/-Authorised Officer, Indian Bank**

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The specific details of the properties intended to be brought to sale through e-auction mode are enumerated below:

Property: All that piece and parcel of immovable flat No 002, Ground Floor 47/1 Manjunatha Residency Plot No 68, Khatha No 2082, BBMP Katha No. 68/2082/2503, Vijayasri layout, Sy. No. 47/1, Myalasandra Village, Kengeri, Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Banagalore 560 059 measuring 1455 sq.ft.: BOUNDARIES :East by : Road,West by : Plot No 79,North by : Plot No 69.South by: Plot No. 67.

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	Rs 65,00,000/-
EMD Amount	Rs 6,50,000/-
Bid incremental amount	Rs 10,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	**04-08-2023 11.00 AM TO 2.00 PM**
Property ID No	IDIB3232991267

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Date:14-07-2023, Place :Bangalore **Sd/-Authorised Officer, Indian Bank**

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I, Raj Bala Aged about 67 years w/o Rishi Dev Dabass residing at C/o Wg cdr Yashdeep Dabass OMQ 158/1, Air Force Station, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560063 have changed My name from Raj Bala (Old name) to Rajbala Dabass (New Name) vide affidavit dtd 11.07.2023 sworn before notary S. R. Ravikumar Bangalore.

EXPRESS READ

Terrorists using Af soil to hit us: Pak minister

Islamabad: Pakistan's Defence Minister Khwaja Asif on Saturday claimed that terrorists involved in bloodshed in his country were getting refuge in neighbouring Afghanistan and that Pakistan would no longer tolerate this. "Afghanistan is not fulfilling the right to be a neighbour and brother country and is not abiding by the Doha agreement. 50/60 lakh Afghans have 40/50 years of asylum in Pakistan with all rights," Asif said. "On the contrary, the terrorists who shed the blood of Pakistanis can find refuge on Afghan soil. Pakistan will use all its resources to protect its land and citizens," the minister said, a day after the Pakistan Army warned Kabul to stop militants from using its soil for attacks

2.46% rise in consolidated net profit at ₹658.71 crore reported by retail chain D-Mart operator Avenue Supermarts Ltd on Saturday for April-June 2023 quarter

Race for No.2 automaker hots up

Hyundai expects its lead over Tata Motors will grow with the launch of mini-SUV Exter

ARSHAD KHAN @New Delhi

EVEN as the gap between Korean carmaker Hyundai and home-grown Tata Motors has narrowed for the second spot in the domestic car market, the former is confident of maintaining a lead.

Hyundai anticipates that its lead over Tata will grow with the launch of Exter, the much anticipated mini-SUV. Exter will compete with Tata Motor's Punch.

On the back of strong thrust on smaller SUVs and electric vehicles, Tata Motors in the past two financial years has grown at a much faster pace than the PV industry growth. In FY23, Tata Motors' domestic PV sales grew by 45% to 5,41,087 units while Hyundai's sales in FY23 grew by 18% to 5,67,546. The difference between the two was just 23,155 units in favour of Hyundai.

This close race continued in the first quarter of FY24 as well and the difference between the two was only 5,221 units, again in favour of Hyundai. During the April-June quarter, Hyundai's sales stood at 148,303 units while Tata Motors' sales came at 143,082 units. Total domestic PV sales stood at 995,974 units in Q1FY24, a growth of 9% year-on-year.

"We are doing very decent (job). Don't judge Hyundai by 1 or 2 months' numbers. We are continuing with the number two position, except for a month or two such as December when we don't manufacture in full swing. It is all about ding different things and setting benchmarks which we are doing. Number 1 and Number 2 are not in our hands," said Tarun Garg, chief operating officer at Hyundai

Motor India Limited (HMIL) told TNIE in an interaction

Garg said they are confident of selling about 10,000 units of Exter per month and the model so far has received over 16,000 bookings. Tata Motor's Punch retails between 11,000-12,000 units a month.

The Korean carmaker, however, tries to brush aside the question on the race for the number two spot with Tata Motors. It says the focus for them for the last 27 years in India has been on setting benchmarks rather than chasing leadership positions.

"From the hatchback Santro to the mid-size SUV Creta, Hyundai have always raised the benchmarks in their respective segments. We are confident that the new product Exter will also raise the benchmark and will not only be a game changer for us but also for the industry," Tarun Garg, told TNIE.

RACE FOR MARKET LEADERSHIP

- Hyundai expects its lead over Tata will grow with the launch of Exter
- Exter will compete with Tata Motor's Punch
- Hyundai's domestic PV sales in **FY23** grew by **18%**, while Tata Motors' sales grew **45%**
- In April-June quarter, Hyundai's sales stood at **148,303 units** while Tata Motors' sales came at **143,082 units**
- Hyundai's Creta, Verna and Tucson continue to lead in their respective segments

CY2023 to be the best year for Hyundai

With Creta, Verna and Tucson continuing to lead their respective segments and Exter expected to bring in incremental numbers, Hyundai believes they will clock their best-ever annual sales in the calendar year 2023. To meet the increased demand, Hyundai has increased its production capacity to about 8.20-8.50 lakh units in its Tamil Nadu plant, an addition of over 50,000 from the current level. Further, the company is in advanced stage to acquire General Motor's Talegaon plant and had recently announced an investment of ₹20,000 crore over a period of 10 years in Tamil Nadu to roll out new EVs and increase production volume.

"We are the only manufacturer which has grown in double digit in the first half of CY2023, more than 10% among the top 3 players. Now that Exter is coming, we believe the momentum should be carried forward. I cannot predict how much will be the volume but it is reasonable to think it will be close to in the 600,000 units (for CY20230)," said Garg. Hyundai sold about 292,000 PVs between January-June 2023 and over 5.52 lakh units in CY22.

Garg added that the supply constraints are almost over and waiting periods have come down. However, the pent-up demand is almost over and high interest rates, along with global headwinds, are a concern for the sector. Most analysts believe that demand will slow down to single-digit growth in FY24 as the increased cost of ownership has become a major concern.

NEWSCOPE

FOXCONN SETBACK: INDIA STILL BIG AS REGIONAL CHIPMAKING HUB

GURBIR SINGH

FIRST came the plaudits. The Union government had maneuvered deftly to ensure Gujarat got the $19.4 billion Foxconn-Vedanta's semiconductor chip manufacturing facility. Then came the recrimination as Maharashtra's opposition parties cried foul alleging the state had been unfairly done out of the deal. And finally the cul-de-sac!

All the brouhaha was a waste. Foxconn has now pulled the plug on the joint venture. The project was moving slowly, but the snapping of relations came as a surprise blow. The reasons are grainy, but it appears the Taiwanese electronics contractor was not happy with Vedanta's heavy debt and doubted its ability to pay for the project's technology.

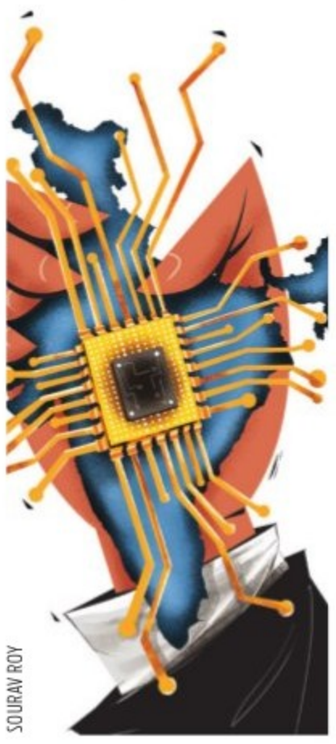
In the follow-up, both the JV partners have vowed to independently pursue chip-making in India. Vedanta's chief Anil Aggarwal said his company would work with other partners to transform India into a semiconductor and display glass manufacturing hub. Foxconn too in a separate statement has reaffirmed it will continue to invest in India, and will apply afresh under the government's subsidy programme. The government has said the break-up would not impact the country's plans.

Despite all the brave talk, there is no doubt it is a setback. The project was expected to be a huge magnet for attracting talent and was slated to generate 1 lakh jobs. Assessing the world-wide shortage of semiconductor chips and the decline of China as a hub, the Indian government had, towards the end of 2021, announced Rs 76,000 crore in investments to drive the India Semiconductor Mission (ISM). The Foxconn-Vedanta venture would have given a good start. Now, things are back to the drawing board.

The 'shortage' economics

Ironically, there can't be a more opportune time for India to build a semiconductor hub. There is a US-China war on for the world chip-making market. The Joe Biden administration has come down heavily on US companies doing business with China. In October 2022, Washington announced licensing for US companies exporting chips or technology to China and black-listed a slew of Chinese companies on security grounds. China countered with complaints to the WTO against US' 'technology terrorism'.

Though China currently has just 9% of the semiconductor market, it has been on the growth path and expected to touch 23-25% by 2030. Conversely, the US, which is the world leader accounting for 46% of semiconductor production, is expected to lose ground to Vietnam, China and others coming down to 36%. It is in this context, that one has to see US giant Micron, stonewalled in China, now set to erect a $2.7 billion semiconductor testing and packaging unit in Gujarat.



SOURAV ROY

Remember how there was an inordinate delay in the delivery of your new car. It was because of a shortage of the microchip that controls many of its functions. The revolution in the Internet of Things (IoT), automation and Artificial Intelligence (AI) has a common thread – the nano semiconductor that stores and processes data on a wafer thin electrical circuit. These technology building blocks suffered a production crisis with the onset of the pandemic in 2020, disrupting supply chains across the globe. Workers in this highly labour intensive process were locked in at home, freezing production; and there too little inventory to feed the millions of electronic gadgets dependent on these chips. One survey contended as many as 169 industries faced disruption.

The UN's Industrial Development Organization's survey assessed the dramatic impact it had on passenger car industry: Around 11.3 million cars could not be produced in 2021 as a result of the semiconductor shortage, and a further 7 million cars are assumed to not have been produced in 2022.

When Covid restrictions began to be lifted in 2021, demand skyrocketed as work-from-home users bought laptops, cars and other electronic gadgets; but the supply lines were jammed. Moreover, the semiconductor industry is concentrated in a handful of countries, including Taiwan, South Korea, Japan, the United States and some players in Europe.

Good domestic demand

The industry has therefore limited capacity and is facing surging demand. Further complexities are being added by the geopolitical crisis that is disrupting supply chains. To add to the potent mix is the fact that the industry is highly capital intensive requiring as much as $10 billion for setting up a single unit.

The thinking therefore is veering around to the view that rather than global supply chains, the semiconductor industry must move to a new format: of regional supply chains. A $160 billion industry is too big to put all its eggs in a few baskets. India has a huge domestic market too. We import 94% of our electronics and 100% of semiconductors. This was endorsed by Vedanta's Anil Aggarwal, who at a recent shareholder meeting said the opportunity was in-house: India imports $100 billion worth of electronics every year. This includes $30 billion worth of semiconductor and display glass.

The Foxconn-Vedanta JV may have dissolved and the Micron Technology investment is only for packaging chips. But if India stays the course, and provides infrastructure investment to international chipmakers, it is only a matter of time before she emerges as a regional hub.

Uday Kotak to continue as non-executive board member after retirement

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

UDAY KOTAK, managing director and chief executive officer of Kotak Mahindra Bank will continue as a non-executive board member and strategic shareholder after he steps down from the whole-time role.

The veteran banker, who launched Kotak Mahindra Finance with three people and a 300 square feet office in 1985, is set to retire as MD & CEO of the bank in December 2023.

"Going forward, I see my role as a non-executive board governance member and a strategic shareholder with a long term perspective of nurturing a world class institution," Kotak said in a letter to shareholders. "It is unusual in today's world of banking anywhere to have an individual with 26% skin in the game with disproportionate family assets in one stock, emotionally attached to living his dream of making India proud," he added.

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>
> Uday Kotak, MD & CEO, Kotak Mahindra Bank

Kotak Mahindra Bank has created value for stakeholders and provided 100,000 direct jobs and a multiple of that in indirect jobs. Also, an investor who invested ₹10,000 with us in 1985 would be worth ₹300 crore today, said Kotak.

Looking back at his professional journey he said that the group is product of India's growth story. "We were at the right place at the right time. We are a quintessential product of the India growth story and the financial sector evolution," he said. He also cautioned against the bureaucratisation of financial services in India. "I feel the financial sector players risk becoming more robotic, curbing the entrepreneurial flair since the fear of making a mistake overrides the joy of creation and development. While we need 'Arjuna's eye' on risk management, we must prevent bureaucratisation of financial services,"

He said that financial sector needs significant capacity building to meet the aspiration of making India a $ 30 trillion economy by 2047. The banker said the regulatory environment must be bold to let entrepreneurship thrive while also maintaining a supportive policy framework.

"We must avoid a mindset that we want accident free roads hence we will restrict cars. Instead, to take this analogy further, we need more roads, more cars and better signals and traffic regulation," he said.

EXPRESS READ

Young professionals learn AI for job market

MUMBAI: A significant percentage of young professionals are keen to embrace artificial intelligence (AI) upskilling, recognising its crucial role in staying relevant in the job market, as per a report released on Saturday. About 80% respondents believed acquiring AI skills can give them a competitive advantage and will open doors to exciting job opportunities, *PTI*

Govt reimposes windfall tax on domestic crude export

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

AFTER a gap of two months, the government imposed the windfall tax on domestic crude oil production from nil to ₹1,600 per tonne.

However, there are no Special Additional Excise Duty (SAED) taxes on export of diesel, petrol or aviation turbine fuel (ATF). These changes are effective from July 15).

In May 2023, the government cut the windfall tax on petroleum crude to zero from ₹4,100 per tonne. Tax rates are reviewed fortnightly based on average oil prices in the previous two weeks. Global crude oil prices have risen again on the back of supply cuts by Saudi Arabia and Russia.

The crude basket averaging below $75/bbl in May and June this year touched $80.92/bbl on July 13. India first imposed windfall profit taxes on 1 July 2022, joining a growing number of nations that tax supernormal profits of energy companies. At that time, export duties of ₹6 per litre ($12 per barrel) each were levied on petrol and ATF and ₹13 a litre ($26 a barrel) on diesel.

Business & Beyond

PPA opens thermal coal coastal shipping gateway

As a major hub for Coastal Shipping, Paradip Port stands at No.1 position among Indian Ports, which handles the highest cargo by coastal shipping among all Ports of the country. Presently, Paradip Port handles coastal shipping of thermal coal from Mahanadi Coalfields, Talcher to Gencos of Tamilnadu, Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka. During FY 2022-23, it handled 42.2MMT coastal thermal coal, registering phenomenal growth of 50% over 28 MMT recorded in previous fiscal. Traditionally, the focus has been to ensure uninterrupted supply of thermal coal to the southern Gencos.

Union Bank Sambalpur organises CSR programme

Sambalpur: Union Bank of India, one of the largest PSBs of the country, has distributed 200 LED Solar Tube Lights for spreading lights in homes of the less privileged women of Kendupali Village who all are into weaving. This CSR activity was done by the Bank under banner of Union Bank Social Foundation with the help of Parichay Foundation to support their signature project PAVI in presence of Senior Executives of Union Bank of India, Sarvesh Ranjan, Zonal Head Bhubaneswar, Dharmendra Rajoriya, Regional Head Sambalpur, Sambit Mishra, Chief Manager, Regional Office Sambalpur and other officials of the Bank.

SAIL clocks best-ever first quarter in production and sales

New Delhi: Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) has achieved record-breaking performance in the first quarter of the financial year 2023-24 (Q1 FY24) in terms of production and sales. The production of hot metal, crude steel, and saleable steel of 5.037 million tonnes (MT), 4.667 MT, and 4.405 MT, respectively, marked the best ever first quarter results. These figures represent a remarkable growth of 7%, 8%, and 8% respectively in comparison to the previous best. Moreover, the company attained its highest-ever sales performance in the first quarter by achieving a sales volume of 3.9 MT. This is a growth of around 24% over CPLY. The company is focused on maximizing capacity utilization and meeting the customer demands.

UCO Bank Sambalpur zonal office organises MSME Customer Meet

Sambalpur: UCO Bank Zonal Office, Sambalpur organized a MSME Customer Meet at Hotel Kohinoor Garden, Bargarh. Dignitaries Senior IPO Mr. Parija (DIC Office, Bargarh), President Chamber of Commerce, Bargarh, Dillip kumar Agrawal, President OASME, Bargarh, Shravan Lath, UCO Bank Zonal Manager, Sambalpur, Rajesh Kumar, Dy Zonal Manager, Rashmi Ranjan Mahapatra and Sushil Pradhan, Branch Manager, Bargarh were present as guest in the stage. Jogesh Ch Naik, Senior Manager, Brajeswar Adarkulia, among others, conducted the meeting.

PPL contributes ₹16.69 lakh for high school transformation

Extending the 'Mo School Abhiyan' Programme Further Govt of Odisha has launched High School Transformation programme under 5T to make the high Schools as Aspirational Schools in respective districts. It is an initiative that aims to create a platform for People to connect, collaborate and contribute towards revamping of Government High Schools inside the State. This Platform encourages the Companies to contribute from their CSR Funds for wholesome development of Government Schools.

Furniture maker Haworth to set up new facility in Chennai

MONIKA YADAV @ New Delhi

HAWORTH INC, a global furniture manufacturer is setting up its second facility in Chennai with a total investment of $8 to $10 million , its global president Henning Figge said Friday.

In an interaction with this newspaper, Figge said that the new facility will be fully operational in three years' time, depending upon the regulatory approvals.

"The current facility in Chennai produces only for the Indian market and we even have to import goods to fulfil the demand as we are not able to produce enough here. Now, with the new facility we will be able to cater to domestic market along with Asia Pacific and some parts of the North America," Figge said.

Figge is optimistic about the Indian market which has not yet been affected by global slowdown.

According to him there is a lot of demand in the Indian market with IT companies looking to set up their offices in tier2 cities for their employees.

"We don't feel slowdown in in the country. We had the best year of our history last year in India. This year is also very good. We are very bullish for Indian market. Overall we do see slowdown in North Amercia, Europe and some other countries. But overall things are not as bad as we had anticipated," Figge said when asked about the impact of global slowdown on demand in India.

Haworth head also expressed the need for bringing furniture sector under the production linked-incentive (PLI) scheme, considering the growing demand for office spaces in India.

Operation to start in 3 months

In an interaction with this newspaper, Figge said the new facility will be fully operational in three years' time

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Notice U/s. 13(2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 is being issued by ICICI Bank Ltd. (on underlying pool assigned to ICICI Bank by Dewan Housing Finance Ltd.) in relation to the enforcement of security in respect of a housing loan facility granted pursuant to a loan agreement entered into between DHFL and the following borrower(s) who have defaulted in repayment of principal and interest of loans facility obtained by them from secured creditor and loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them on their last known addresses, however, it has returned un-served and hence, they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Loan Account Number (DHFL Old LAN & ICICI New LAN) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset/ Asset tobe Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Kumar A N/ Thejaswini G V/ C/o Gowramma, 15/1, 4th Cross, Magadi Main Road, Kottigepalya, Near Ganesha Temple, Bangalore- 560091/ QZSGA00005024482	All That Piece and Parcel of The Property Bearing 2nd Stage Site No.475 and 512 Measuring 6*9 Meter, 3rd Stage Site No.37 and 38 Measuring 6*9 Meter, Situated at Guddenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Hassan Taluk, Under The Limits of Hassan City Development Authority, 1) 2 Nd Stage Site No. 475 (6*9 Meters) Bounded By: East By: Site No. 793 and 794(9*12m) West By: 6 Feet Road, North By: Site No. 476 South By: Site No. 474 East to West: 9 Meters, and North to South: 6 Meters, Total: 54.00 Sq. Mt. 2) 2 Nd Stage Site No. 512 (6*9 Meters) Bounded By: East By: Site No. 497 West By: 6 Feet Road, North By: Site No. 511 South By: Site No. 513 East to West: 9 Meters, and North to South: 6 Meters, Total: 54.00 Sq. Mt. 3) 3 Rd Stage Site No. 37 (6*9 Meters) Bounded By: East By: 9 Meter Road West By: Site No. 29 &30 (6*9 Meters) North By: Site No. 36 South By: Site No. 38 East to West: 9 Meters, and North to South: 6 Meters, Total: 54.00 Sq. Mt. 4) 3 Rd Stage Site No. 38 (6*9 Meters) Bounded By: East By: 9 Meter Road West By: Site No. 29 &30 (6*9 Meters) North By: Site No. 36 South By: Site No. 38 East to West: 9 Meters, and North to South: 6 Meters, Total: 54.00 Sq. Mt.	25-04-2023 Rs. 18,61,897.00/-	08-02-2023
2.	Sankarpillai Suresh Babu/ Bhaskara Kurup Sunitha/ 188, Vinayaka Nagar 1st Main, Iaf Post Yelahanka Karnataka Bangalore- 560063/ QZBNG00005001121	(as Described in The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering Vacant Site No. 45, Kaneshumari Katha No. 235, Assessment No. 203/3, Situated at Kattigenahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk (admeasuring an area of East to West: 39'-0 (Thirty Nine) Feet, North to South: 31'-0 (Thirty One) Feet, Total: 1200 Sq. Feet) Bounded By North: Site No. 47 South: Site No. 46 East : Road West: Private Property	10-04-2023 Rs. 1,94,727.00/-	08-09-2022

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : July 15, 2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD — CHAMRAJPET 1ST MAIN BRANCH

Albert Victor Road, Tipu Sultan Palace Chamrajpet, Bangalore-560018.

POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the Indian Bank, under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with the rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand Notice dated30.06.2021calling upon the borrower / guarantors:**1)M/S D S Infotech (Partnership firm represented by its partners Mr D S Muniraju S/o Mr Doddaiah Laxman and Mrs. L Susheelamma W/o Late Linganna)** Address : No 222,3rd Floor,3rd Main,4th Cross,Next to Food World,Chamrajpet,Bangalore-560018. **2)Mr D S Muniraju S/o Mr Doddaiah Laxman(Partner of M/S D S Infotech and Guarantor)** Address:153, C Lane, Anjanappa Garden, Mysore Road, Chamrajapet, bnaglore-560018. **3)Mrs L Susheelamma W/o Late Linganna (Partner of M/S D S Infotech, Gurantor and Mortgagor)** Address: No 222,1st floor, 3rd Main, 4th Cross,Next to Food World, Bull Temple Road, Chamrajpet, Bangalore 560018. **4)Mrs Seetha D/o late, Linganna (Guarantor)** Address: No 222, 1st Floor, 3rd Main , 4th cross,Next to Food World, Bull Temple Road, Chamrajpet, Bangalore 560018. **5)Mr Ganga Raj, S/o late Linganna (Guarantor)** Address: No 222, 1st Floor, 3rd Main, 4th Cross, Next to Food World, Bull Temple Road, Chamrajpet, Bangalore-560018. **6)Mrs Nageshwari W/o Mr D S Muniraju (Gurantor)**Address: No 153, C Lane, Anjanappa Garden,Mysore Road,Chamrajpet, Bangalore-560018

To repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.19,33,354.00** (Rupees Nineteen lakhs thirthy three thousand three hundred fifty four only.)Within 60days from the date of receipt of the Demand Notice, the said amount carries further interest at the agreed rate till the date of repayment.

The borrower having failed to repay the entire amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on this**14thday of July 2023**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Indian Bank for an amount of being **Rs.19,78,282(Rupees Nineteen Lakhs Seventy Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty Two only)** as on 13.07.2023 and the said amount carries further interest at the agreed rate from 14.07.2023till date of repayment

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

SCHEDULE : The specific details of the assets in which security interest is created are enumerated here under:

All that piece and parcel of the residential immovable property bearing Municipal No 11, forming part of Sy No 35/1, having PID No 41-172-11 measuring east to west 4.57 mt, North to South 10.6 mt totally measuring 48.71 sqmt situated at D Cross, Byatarayanapura layout within BBMP ward No 41, Bangalore formerly being Sy No 35/1 of Avalahalli Village,Corporation Division No 24 and bounded on:East by: Private Property,West by:Property of Sandeshmurthy,North by: site No 12,South by: Road

Date: 14.07.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Authorized Officer
Indian Bank

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Clients, **{1} Mrs. A MANJUSHREE PRADEEP** Residing at Shivamoga **{2} Mr. ANKUSH AARMAN** residing at Mumbai **{3} Mr. IMMIDI RAVI PRASAD** residing at Bangalore **{4} Mrs. SHUBHA A P** residing at Shivamoga, have entered into an agreement of sale for purchase of the schedule Property more fully described hereunder, from its present Owners viz..**{1} Mr.KANUPARTI CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY** S/o Kanuparti Sidda Reddy **{2} Mr. Rajesh. M** S/o Kumaraswamy, residing in Bangalore,the present owners/Vendors. The said Vendors had purchased the Schedule Property by an absolute sale deed executed by one **SRI.D M Shivanna** S/o Mariyappa for valid consideration and the said document has been registered at the office of the SRO Basavanagudi (Bannerghatta-Anekal Taluk), Bangalore City District as No.3600/2019-20 dated 08.08.2019

However, if any person/s, Govt./Any other authority/Agency etc., have any manner of objection, claim or interest or demand over the Schedule Property, may file their objections (along with photo copies of documents on which they are relying) to the under mentioned Advocate ***within 07 days*** from the date of publication and objection received there after will not be binding on my client.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.337, Katha No 151/337, Katha Serial No 2382, Property No 96, situated at Maragondanahalli Village, Hulimangala GP, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, Site Measuring E-W: 40 feet and N-S: 30 Feet In all measuring 1200 Sq.ft.and building threre on, bounded on the:

East by : Property No 324
West by : 25 feet Road
Northby : 25 feet Road
South by: Property No.336

Sd/-

C N Balasubramanyam, Advocate
No. 115/A, 4th Cross,13th Main, Bank Officers Colony, BTM Layout 1st Stage, Bangalore – 560 068
Place: Bangalore Date: 15.07.2023.

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GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

The following Borrowers have availed loan facility by pledging Gold Ornaments and failed to redeem the same within the stipulated loan period in spite of reminder notices. Therefore, the same will be sold in public Auction on **31.07.2023 at 12.00 p.m.** in our branch Premises in the above noted address. This Public Notice is also a notice to the borrowers and applies to Legal Heirs of the deceased borrowers, If any :

Sl No	Name of the Borrower	Account No.	Gross Wt in Gms	Amount (Excluding unapplied interest and charges)
1	Mrs. Romana S M	19840610042168	140.200	Rs. 4,46.010.00

A. The Bank does not guarantee the weight or purity of the Jewellery / Ornaments / Coins, either of its gold contents or otherwise. **B.** The jewel is available for inspection by the intending bidders on **27.07.2023 between 10.00 a.m to 12.00 p.m** in the Branch Premises. **C.** The intending purchasers shall make an earnest money deposit of **25% of Reserve price by 27.07.2023 4 PM. D.** The jewel will be handed over to the highest bidder on payment of the balance amount within 24 hours or on the next working day of the Bank during its business hours. **E.** If the successful bidder fails to pay the amount, the bidder shall forfeit the earnest money and the jewel may be resold within 30 days from that date and shortfall if any in excess of the earnest money deposit shall be recoverable from the bidder who has successfully bid at the earlier auction but did not take delivery of the jewel against payment. **F.** It shall be lawful for the Bank to stop the auction at any stage without assigning any reason thereto in which case the earnest money shall be returned to whoever makes the deposit. **G.** Auction will be conducted on current rate of Gold on the date of Auction. **H.** Applicable GST (@ 3%) will be recovered from the successful bidder in auction.

Date : 17.07.2023
Place : Bangalore

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The Federal Bank Ltd., Loan Collection and Recovery Department / Bangalore Division, No. 3, Church Street, 2nd Floor, MSR West Park, Bengaluru-560 001, Karnataka, Phone: +91 9986591245, Email: bgrlcrd@federalbank.co.in Website: www.federalbank.co.in, CIN: L65191KL1931PLC000368

POSSESSION NOTICE

(For Immovable Property)

Where as the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Federal Bank Ltd. under the Securitisation& Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) of the said Act read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Rules) issued a demand notice dated 10.03.2023 calling upon the borrowers (1) Mr.Vivek R, S/o Ravishankar, No. 71, 3rd Cross, 6th Main, Bank Office Layout, Near Namma Bakery, Raghuvanahalli, Bangalore, Bangalore Urban, Karnataka – 560062 and also at Flat No. FF-2, First Floor, MSR Neepa Apartment, Near AGS Layout, Park, 3rd Cross,22nd Main, Arehalli, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560061 (2) Mrs.D M Sony, W/o Vivek R, #40, Meenakshi Residency, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore South, Gottigere, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560083 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being (1) Rs 76,26,769.96 (Rupees Seventy Six Lakh Twenty Six Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Nine and paise Ninety Six only) due as on 05.03.2023 under FHS with number 13877300005143 and (2) Rs 1,35,384/- (Rupees One Lakh Thirty Five Thousand Three Hundred and Eighty Four only) due as on 16.02.2023 under Federal Personal loan Asset Guard with number 13877600009787 within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules on this 12th day of July the year 2023.

The borrower/s' attention is invited to the provisions of section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets (security properties).

The borrower in particular and public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Federal Bank Ltd. for an amount of (1) Rs. 78,79,384.96 (Rupees Seventy Eight Lakhs Seventy Nine Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Four and Paise Ninety Six Only) as on 05.07.2023 under FHS loan with Account Number 13877300005143 (2) Rs. 1,40,481/- (Rupees One lakh Forty Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty One Only) as on 16.06.2023 under Federal Personal loan Asset Guard with Account Number 13877600009787 and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Flat No. FF-2, on the First Floor with super built up area of 1600 Sq.ft and UDS of 266 Sq.ft, 3 BHK in the multi storied building known as "MSR Neepa" which is inclusive of balconies and proportionate share in the common areas along with car parking space and bounded on East by: Common Passage, West by: Others property, North by: Flat No. FF-1 and South by: Others, constructed on the landed property bearing Residential Site No. 16, Khatha No. 675/145/128/400/8 and 10/16, carved out of Survey Nos. 8 and 10, situated at Arehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, presently comes under the administrative jurisdiction of the Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 59+67.6/2 feet totally measuring 2530 sq and bounded on East by: Site bearing No. 15, West by: Private property, North by: 30 feet Road and South by: Private Property.

Date : 12.07.2023
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Federal Bank Ltd

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Asset Recovery Management Branch,
1st Floor, FKCCI Building, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-560009.
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CIN: L85110KA1924PLC001128

MEGA E-AUCTION

NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES ON 17.08.2023

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) / Rule 9 (1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Constructive/Physical Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on 17.08.2023** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to the **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

The details are as under: Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **16.08.2023 at 4.00 pm** through online payment to the Account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD favouring **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/ Legal Heirs and Loan Account No.	Balance O/S Rs. Future Interest From + Costs	Possession Date Possession Type	Description of the Property/ies	Reserve Price (Rs.)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs.	Auction Time	Incremental Value of the Bid	Branch Name & Account Details for Remitting EMD/ IFSC Code
1	**(1) M/s Highsky Travels Pvt Ltd, Represented by its Directors – i)Mrs. Sheetal and ii)Mr. T.D. Padmanabha, Addressed at :** No.106/4, Thamarai Kannan Road, Halasuru, Bengaluru – 560008, **(2) Mrs.Sheetal,** W/o Mr. T.D. Padmanabha, **(3) Mr. T.D. Padmanabha ,** S/o Mr. T.G. Devarajulu, **Both 2 & 3 are addressed at :** Flat No.302, 3rd Floor, Varshitha Green Apartments, 5th Street, Bank Avenue , Babusapalya, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru – 560043, **(4) Mrs. Jayasudha Janardhanan ,** W/o Mr. Janardhanan, **Addressed at :** Sycon Cressida, Flat No.502, 5th Floor, Horamavu Main Road, Bengaluru – 560043, **Loan A/c Nos.: (1) PSDPN A/c No.0597001400907001 (2) PSTL A/c No.0597001800038601 (3) PSTL A/c No.0597001800039101 (4) PSTL A/c No.0597001800040101**	**Total Rs.57,24,795.27 [(1) Rs.3,38,908.66 30.06.2023 + (2) Rs.5,89,594.61 01.07.2023 + (3) Rs.43,78,151.00 30.06.2023 + (4) Rs.4,18,141.00 01.07.2023]**	**12.04.2023 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of **Residential Flat bearing No.302 [2 BHK], on third floor of the apartment building known as 'Varshitha Greens', having Super built up area of 1160 Sq.ft along with 330 Sq.ft** of undivided interest in land, and one covered car parking space and proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lift and staircase, constructed on converted land bearing Site No.13 (carved out of erstwhile Sy.No.126/4,) situated at Horamavu Village, K.R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru, **belonging to Mr. T.D Padmanabha and Mrs. Jayasudha Janardhanan. Boundaries of property as per Document : East :** Site No.6, **West :** Road, **North :** Site No.12, **South :** Private Property, **Boundaries of Flat as per Document : East :** Corridor / Entry, **West :** Open Space & then Road, **North :** Open Space, **South :** Open Space.	**Rs.50,50,000.00 (Rupees Fifty Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)**	**Rs.5,05,000.00 (Rupees Five Lakhs Five Thousand Only)**	**12.30 P.M to 12.50 P.M**	**Rs. 25,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Murphy Town Branch A/c No: 0593500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000059**
2	**(1) Mr. Manjunath N,** S/o Mr. Nagaraj C, No.1162, 11th Cross, 9th Main, 2nd Phase, West of Chord Road, Malleshwaram , Bengaluru – 560086, **(2) M/s M.N Construction, Represented by its Proprietor Mr. Manjunath N,** No.37/1, 2nd Floor, 1st Cross, Model Colony, Yeshwanthpura Flower Market Opp-Road, Bengaluru - 560022 , **(3) Mrs. Kavitha K,** W/o Mr. Manjunath N , No.1162, 11th Cross, 9th Main, 2nd Phase, West of Chord Road, Malleshwaram , Bengaluru - 560086 , **Both 1 & 3 also at :** BDA Site No.2, II Main, BDA Layout , RMV II Stage, 4th Block, Lottegollahalli, Bengaluru – 560094 **Loan A/c Nos.: (1) Term Loan A/c No. 9687001600001001 (2) PSOD A/c No. 9687000600000501**	**Total Rs.96,32,292.36 [(1) Rs.82,04,503.40 + (2) Rs.14,27,788.96 19.08.2021 & 01.09.2021]**	**18.11.2022 Physical**	All that part and parcel of immovable property **bearing BDA Site No.2, measuring 53.37 Smt or 575 Sq.ft** [East to West – 6.10 meters, North to South – 8.50+9.00/2 meters), with **Residential building constructed thereon** [Stilt Floor+Ground Floor+First Floor+Second Floor] measuring total BUA 107.36 Smt or 1155 Sq.ft as per plan, 2000 Sq.ft as per physical measurement, situated at II Main, BDA Layout, RMV II Stage, 4th Block, formed in Sy.No.6 of Lottegollahalli Village, Bengaluru – 560094, **belonging to Mr. Manjunath N & Mrs. Kavitha K. Boundaries of property as per Deed/Actual : East :** Site No.03 / 3 Floor Residential Building, **West :** Site No.01/ Site No.01, **North :** Site No.07/Sheet roof Building, **South :** Road/II Main Road	**Rs.69,69,000.00 (Rupees Sixty Nine Lakhs Sixty Nine Thousand Only)**	**Rs.6,96,900.00 (Rupees Six Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand Nine Hundred Only)**	**11.15 A.M to 11.35 A.M**	**Rs. 10,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – H.M.T Layout Branch, A/c No: 9683500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000968**
3	**(1) M/s Tanisha Enterprises,** A Proprietorship Concern, Represented by its Proprietor **Mr. Subodh K Shetty, Addressed at :** #650, 2nd Main, 2nd Phase, 7th Block, 3rd Stage, Banashankari , Bengaluru – 560085, **(2)Mr. Subodh K Shetty,** S/o Mr. Krishna Puvanna Shetty, **(3) Mrs. Neethi Shetty,** W/o Mr. Subodh Shetty, **Both 2 & 3 are addressed at :** No.579, 2nd Main, 2nd Phase, 6th Block, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru – 560085, **(4) Mr. Umesh Shetty,** S/o Mr. Vittal Shetty, (5)Mrs. Usha Kiran U Shetty, W/o Mr. Umesh Shetty, **Both 4 & 5 are addressed at :** D-27/1, Phase 2, DRDO Township, CV Raman Nagar, Bengaluru – 560093, **Both 4 & 5 also at :** No.67, Municipal No.335/2, PID No.83-64-335/2, 28th 'E'Cross, Kaggadasapura Main Road, CV Raman Nagar, Bengaluru – 560093, **Loan A/c Nos.: (1) PSTL A/c No.0977001800052401 (2) PSTL A/c No.0977001800052501 (3) PSTL A/c No.0977001800052601**	**Total Rs.1,79,31,564.70 [(1) Rs.1,15,48,967.12 15.06.2022 + (2) Rs.8,84,644.24 15.06.2022 + (3) Rs.54,97,953.34 15.06.2022]**	**24.06.2022 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of immovable property bearing **Site No.67,** (Old HASB Khata No.603/335, Old Property No.93/1 and 93/4), then bearing Bengaluru City Corporation Khata No.335, present Municipal No.335/2, PID No.83-64-335/2, **measuring 1440 Sq.ft** [East to West – 30.00 feet, North to South – 48.00 feet] , **with Residential Building constructed thereon,** situated at 28th Cross, Kondappa Layout, Kaggadasapura Main Road, C.V Raman Nagar, Bengaluru, **belonging to Mr. Umesh Shetty and Mrs. Usha Kiran U Shetty. Boundaries of Property as per Document : East :** Site No.66, **West :** Private Property, **North :** Road, **South :** Site No.72	**Rs. 1,58,00,000.00 (Rupees One Crore Fifty Eight Lakhs Only)**	**Rs. 15,80,000.00 (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs Eighty Thousand Only)**	**2.30 P.M to 2.50 P.M**	**Rs. 50,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – BSK III Stage Branch A/c No: 0973500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000097**
4	**(1) M/s J.K Engineering Equipments,** A Partnership Firm, Represented by its Partners – i)Mr. Krishnaiah R and **ii)Mrs. Suvarna K, Addressed at :** No.B-71, 2nd Cross, 1st Stage, Peenya Industrial Estate, Bengaluru – 560058, **(2) Mr. Krishnaiah R,** S/o Mr. Ramanna, **(3) Mrs. Suvarna K.,** W/o Mr. Krishnaiah R, **No.2 & 3 are addressed at :** #21, Amma Nilaya, 10th Cross, Bagalgunte, Hesaragatta Main Road, Nagasandra, Bengaluru – 560073. **Loan A/c Nos.: (1) PSTL A/c No.0647001800211701 (2) PSTL A/c No.0647001800216701**	**Total Rs.79,16,536.32 [(1) Rs.68,28,231.32 27.06.2023 + Rs.10,88,305.00 01.07.2023]**	**12.06.2022 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of **Industrial Property bearing No.B-27,** having PID No.11-147-B-27, **measuring 510.07 Sq.mtrs or 5490.90 Sq.ft ,** with sheet Roof and RCC Roof building constructed thereon, situated at 1st Stage, Peenya Industrial Estate, 1st Cross Road, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, **belonging to M/s J.K Engineering Equipments , Represented by Mr. Krishnaiah R. Boundaries of Land as per Document East :** Service Road, **West :** Shed No.B-28, **North :** 1st Cross Road, **South :** Shed No.B-68.	**Rs. 2,52,50,000.00 (Rupees Two Crores Fifty Two Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 25,25,000.00 (Rupees Twenty Five Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Only)**	**1.40 P.M to 2.00 P.M**	**Rs. 25,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Rajajinagar Branch, A/c No: 0643500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000064**
5	**(1) Mr. Srinivasa Murthy R,** S/o Mr. Ramachandrappa, **(2) Mrs. Sumalatha R.C ,** W/o Mr. Srinivasa Murthy R, **Both are addressed at :** No.7/4, Prabhanjana, Kanakapura Main Road, Basavanagudi , Bengaluru – 560004. **Loan A/c No.: Term Loan A/c No.1147001607245501**	**Rs.36,62,109.89 30.06.2023**	**12.04.2023 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of immovable property **bearing Site No.1064, Survey No.108, V.P Khata No.1064/108, BBMP Khata No.1058/1064, measuring 1200 Sq.ft [East to West – 40.00 feet and North to South – 30.00 feet] ,** with sheet roof building constructed thereon, situated at Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, **belonging to Mr. Srinivasa Murthy R and Mrs. Sumalatha R.C. Boundaries of property as per Document : East :** Road, **West :** Site No.1084, **North :** Site No.1063, **South :** Site No.1065.	**Rs.50,50,000.00 (Rupees Fifty Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)**	**Rs.5,05,000.00 (Rupees Five Lakhs Five Thousand Only)**	**1.00 P.M to 1.20 P.M**	**Rs. 10,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – KH Road A/c No: 1143500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000114**
6	**(1) Mr. Hanumantharayappa,** S/o Mr. Venkatamasiyappa, **(2)Mrs. Shantamma G.V @Mrs. Shanti,** W/o Mr. Hanumantharayappa, **Both are addressed at :** No.31, 8th Main, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, BTM Layout, Bengaluru – 560029. **Loan A/c No.: Term Loan A/c No.0677001600065501**	**Rs.51,67,754.27 18.06.2023**	**15.10.2022 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of the immovable property bearing **Site No.37, PID No.64-167-152, Municipal Khata No.152 (Old No.37), measuring 1200 Sq.ft [East to West – 30 feet, North to South – 40 feet] and property bearing Site No.37/1, PID No.64-167-154, Municipal Khata No.154 (Old No.37/1) measuring 1200 Sq.ft [East to West – 30 feet, North to South – 40 feet] , totally admeasuring 2400 Sq.ft, with Residential building constructed thereon,** formed in converted land bearing Sy.No.20/1 of Tavarakere Village, now under BBMP, situated at Private Layout, Gurappanapalya, BBMP Ward No.64, Bengaluru, **belonging to Mr. Hanumantharayappa. Boundaries of Property: Site No.37:** East: Property No.35, belongs to Smt. Hemalatha, West : Property No.37/1, North: Road (1st Cross Road), South: Property No.36, belongs to Smt. Sharadamma **Site No.37/1 :** East : Private Property, West: Property No.37, North : Road (1st Cross Road), South : Property No.37.	**Rs. 3,53,50,000.00 (Rupees Three Crores Fifty Three Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 35,35,000.00 (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Only)**	**2.30 P.M to 2.50 P.M**	**Rs. 25,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Wilson Garden A/c No: 0673500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000067**

(The borrower's/mortgagor's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).

This Notice shall also serve as Notice under Sub Rule (6) of Rule 8/Sub Rule (1) of Rule 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules-2002 to the Borrower/Guarantors)

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to link in Karnataka Bank's Website i.e. https://karnatakabank.com under the head "Mortgaged Assets for Sale".

The E-auction will be conducted through portal **https://bankauctions.in on 17.08.2023 at above mentioned time** with unlimited extension of 05 minutes. The intending Bidder is required to register their name at **https://bankauctions.in** and get the user id and pass word free of cost and get training i.e online training on e-auction **(tentatively on 16.08.2023)** from **M/s 4 Closure, No.605 A, 6th Floor, Mythrivanam, Ameerpet, Hyderabad-500038, Helpline:** 040-23736405/8142000062/66, **Contact Person : Mr. S. Bhaskar Naidu, Mobile No.** 8142000809, **E-mail : bhaskar@bankauctions.in /info@bankauctions.in.**

Date : 15.07.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorised Officer,
Karnataka Bank Ltd.

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Chickpete-1 Branch, No.349, Komarla Towers, 1st Floor, OTC Road, Bengaluru-560053

POSSESSION NOTICE

[See Rule 8(1) of SARFAESI RULES] Section 13(4) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas: The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Canara Bank, Chickpete-1 Branch,** under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 has issued a Demand Notices calling upon the Borrowers/ Mortgagors/Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned In the notice within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on below mentioned dates.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank,** for an amount interest and Other Charges mentioned below.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

1. Name and Address of the Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors : 1) M/s. Yogesh Pharmaceuticals, No. 129/9, 19, 3rd Floor, New Block, Balaji Complex, Sulthanpete, Bengaluru-560053, **Represented by its Proprietrix Smt. Sudha. L, 2) Smt. Sudha. L,** W/o Sri. Srikanth Raj G. R, # 19, Benaka Nivas, 14th Cross, 1st Main, Srinidhi Layout, J.P. Nagar, Bengaluru, and Guarantor **3) Sri. Srikanth Raj G. R,** # 19, Benaka Nivas, 14th Cross, 1st Main, Srinidhi Layout, J.P. Nagar, Bengaluru,

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.1,11,48,360.61 Paisa (Rupees One Crore Eleven Lakhs Forty Eight Thousand Three Hundred and Sixty and Paisa Sixty One Only) as on **13.04.2023** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

Demand Notice Dated : 13.04.2023 **Possession Notice Date: 13.07.2023**

Schedule Property : All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing No. 19, House List No.107, Khatha No.107/19, situated at Chunchanagatta Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengalur- 560061, measuring East to West (33+37)/2 Feet, North to South 30 Feet, totally measuring 1050 Square Feet, alongwith the building standing there on and bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Property No.28, North by: Property No.18, South by: Property No.20.

2. Name and Address of the Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors : 1) M/s. Narson's Laboratories, No. 342/10, 11th Cross, Sampige Road, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560053, Represented by its Partners **Mr. G.N. Ravidranath and Mrs. G. R. Latha, 2) Mr. G.N. Ravidranath, 3) Mrs. G. R. Latha W/o Mr. G.N. Ravidranath,** both residing at Flat No.4, 4th Floor, D Block, Platinum City, HMT Factory Link Road, Yeshwanthapura, Bengaluru-560022.

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.17,75,111.91 Paisa (Rupees Seventeen Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand One Hundred and Eleven and Paisa Ninety One Only) as on **13.04.2023** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Demand Notice Dated : 13.04.2023 **Possession Notice Date: 13.07.2023**

Schedule "A" Property : All that piece and parcel of residential converted land now bearing BBMP Khatha No 2, HMT Main Road, Ward No 1.Yeshwanthapura, Bengaluru-560022 (Comprised earliear at Survey Nos. 47 & 48, measuring 28 Acres 3 Guntas & 6 Acres 24 Guntas respectively in Peenya Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk Bengaluru) totally measuring 34 Acres 27 Guntas or 1.40.443-75 Sq Mtrs & Bounded on: East by: Public Road leading from Tumkur Road to Research & Development Division of HMT Ltd, West by: Private House in Peenya Village as well as Industrial area of KIADB, North by: Pipeline Road dividing the schedule property from the factory premises of the Bharat Fritz Warner Ltd located in Survey No. 49 South by: Premises of Indian Plywood Research Institute as well as some private houses in Peenya Village.

Schedule "B" Property : All that piece and parcel of the Schedule 'A' Property excluding the area which is earmarked for park, open space, civic amenities, internal roads and path ways, club house, the details of such area mentioned as hereunder: Total area of Schedule 'A' Property-140375.74 Mtrs. Area to be excluded from the above park, open space-21056.36 Sq Mtrs., Civil Amenities-14143.71 Square Meters, Internal roads and path ways-35200.07 Square Meters, Club House-1177.0 Square Meters, Land area which is covered beneath other Blocks of building excluding 'D' Block measuring 43653 Sq. Mtrs.

Schedule "C" Property : Residential Apartment/ Flat constructed over a portion of Schedule-A Property bearing No.04/4, now BBMP Khatha No.D-2/52, in Fourth Floor in D Block, measuring 1215 Square Feet of Super Built up Area with proportionate 170.1 Square Feet of undivided share, right, title and interest in the land exclusively identified with the aforesaid block thereto along with covered Car Parking Area in the Basement of the Group Housing Enclave known as "PLATINUM CITY", (The undivided share in land related to the subject Flat/Apartment is determined only after taking into consideration of the land covered beneath the concerned "D" Block of the building where the residential Flat/Apartment is situated and the set back area

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PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

Notice is hereby given to the public at large that 33 kV cables running along the BMRCL viaduct and 750 V DC third rail sections laid on the viaduct at the following locations are being progressively test charged **with effect from 18.07.2023.**

(i) Reach 1 Extension Between BMRCL's **K R Puram Station Buffer End** to **Baiyappanahalli Station** Platform, including Benniganahalli Station. **(ii)** Reach 2 Extension Between BMRCL's **Kengeri Station Buffer End to Challaghatta Station Buffer End.**

Any direct contact with 750 V DC thrid rail or 33kV cables could be fatal. Hence public at large are cautioned not to enter the viaduct in these areas without authorization. BMRCL will not be responsible for any injury or casualty arising out of this unauthorized act.

This is issued in the interest of Public Safety.

Sd/- Executive Director (Traction), BMRCL.

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ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಗಜಿಪಂ/ಮುಕಾನಿಅ/ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ/2023-24/795 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 13-07-2023

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

(ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಮಾತ್ರ)

ವಿಷಯ: ಶ್ಯಾಮ ಪ್ರಸಾದ ಮುಖರ್ಜಿ ರೂರ್ಬನ್ ಮಿಷನ್ ಯೋಜನೆ ಅಡಿ ಮಾವು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕಕ್ಕೆ ಬೇಕಾಗುವ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಸಮಿತಿಯಿಂದ ಅಂತಿಮಗೊಳಿಸಿದ ಯಂತ್ರೋಪಕರಣಗಳನ್ನು ಖರೀದಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಆಕ್ಟ್-2000 ನಿಯಮದಂತೆ ನಿಯಮಗಳನ್ವಯ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತೇದಾರರಿಂದ ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್, ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಯಂತ್ರೋಪಕರಣದ ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. **ಲೆಕ್ಕ ಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ: 2019-20ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಶ್ಯಾಮ ಪ್ರಸಾದ ಮುಖರ್ಜಿ ರೂರ್ಬನ್ ಯೋಜನೆಯಡಿ ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅರ್ಹ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯವರು** ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್, **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ವರ್ಕ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತೆ ಇರುತ್ತವೆ.

Indent Nos: RDPR/2023-24/IND0021

ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಿಟ್ಟ ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. 62.00 ಲಕ್ಷ

ಟೆಂಡರ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ಬೆಲೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ. ಮೊತ್ತದ ವಿವರ:- ಅರ್ಜಿ ಬೆಲೆ ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟನಂತೆ. ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ. ಸಂಬಂದಪಟ್ಟ ವರ್ಕ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಡಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಇ-ಪ್ರೋಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಶೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್-ಬಿ ಯನ್ನು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟನಲ್ಲಿ ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 26-07-2023 ರಂದು 16.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ.** ಟೆಂಡರ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 28-07-2023 ರಂದು 16.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ** ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಈ ಕಚೇರಿಯ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ಸಹಿ/-
ಮುಖ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಚಾಯತ, ಗದಗ

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ./ಗದಗ/71/2023-24/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ

ONLINE E-AUCTION SALE OF ASSET

KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED

REGISTERED OFFICE: 27 BKC, C-27, G-BLOCK, BANDRA KURLA COMPLEX, BANDRA (E) MUMBAI, MAHARASHTRA, PIN CODE-400 051
BRANCH OFFICE: NO 22, 2ND FLOOR, KOTAK HOUSE, III G ROAD, BANGALORE-560027

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSETS UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 UNDER RULE 8(5) READ WITH PROVISO TO RULE 8 (6) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULE, 2002.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL AND IN PARTICULAR TO THE BORROWER (S) AND GUARANTOR (S) WHOSE DETAILS ARE GIVEN IN BELOW MENTIONED TABLE THAT THE BELOW DESCRIBED IMMOVABLE PROPERTY MORTGAGED/CHARGED TO THE SECURED CREDITOR THE POSSESSION OF WHICH WAS TAKEN BY THE AUTHORISED OFFICER OF PNB HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED (HEREINAFTER REFERRED AS "PNBHFL"), SECURED CREDITOR ON 06.05.2019 AND PURSUANT TO THE ASSIGNMENT OF DEBT IN FAVOUR OF **KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED** BY " PNBHFL ", **THE PROPERTY IS BEING** SOLD ON "AS IS WHERE IS", "AS IS WHAT IS", AND "WHATEVER THERE IS" BASIS ON **22.8.2023** BETWEEN 12:00 PM TO 1:00 PM **WITH UNLIMITED EXTENSION OF 5 MINUTES,** FOR RECOVERY OF RS. 77,81,837.32/- (RUPEES SEVENTY SEVEN LAKH EIGHTY ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN AND PAISA THIRTY TWO ONLY) AS ON 18.01.2019 ALONG WITH FUTURE APPLICABLE INTEREST TILL REALIZATION, **UNDER THE LOAN ACCOUNT NO.**HOU/MLS/0317/370334, DUE TO THE KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LTD., SECURED CREDITOR **FROM** MR. ADAIKALA JOHN BRITTO& MRS. VINODHINI S. THE RESERVE PRICE WILL RS. 42,00,000/-(RUPEES FORTY TWO LAKH ONLY) AND THE EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT WILL BE RS. 4,20,000/-(RUPEES FOUR LAKH TWENTY THOUSAND ONLY)&LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF EMD WITH KYC IS **21.8.2023** UP TO 6:00 P.M. (IST.)

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF PROPERTY HAVING SUPER BUILT UP AREA OF 1440 SQ. FT. HAVING A THREE BEDROOMS APARTMENT BEARING FLAT NO.3-C, 3RD FLOOR IN BLOCK A OF BUILDING KNOWN AS VAHE IMPERIAL GARDENS WITH VITRIFIED TILES FLOORING AND ONE COVERED CAR PARKING SPACE IN THE LOWER BASEMENT HAVING A PROPORTIONATE 475 SQ. FT. OF UNDIVIDED SHARE, RIGHT TITLE AND INTEREST IN THE LAND SITAUTED AT GUNJUR VILLAGE, VARTHUR HOBLI, BANGLURU EAST TALUK, BANGALURU AND PRESENTLY FALLS IN THE LIMITS OF BRUHATH BANGULURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE, BANGULURU SPECIFICALLY MENTIONED IN SALE DEED DATED 08.06.2017 IN FAVOUR OF MORTGAGOR, GUNJUR, VARTHUR HOBLI, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA, INDIA-560087 .THE BORROWER'S ATTENTION IS INVITED TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUB SECTION 8 OF SECTION 13, OF THE ACT, IN RESPECT OF THE TIME AVAILABLE, TO REDEEM THE SECURED ASSET.PUBLIC IN GENERAL AND BORROWERS IN PARTICULAR PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT IF IN CASE AUCTION SCHEDULED HEREIN FAILS FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER THEN SECURED CREDITOR MAY ENFORCE SECURITY INTEREST BY WAY OF SALE THROUGH PRIVATE TREATY.IN CASE OF ANY CLARIFICATION/REQUIREMENT REGARDING ASSETS UNDER SALE, BIDDER MAY CONTACT **TO MR. VIJAY SUNDRIYAL (+91 917506590622), MR. RAJENDER DAHIYA (+91 8448264515).**FOR DETAILED TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SALE. PLEASE REFER TO THE LINK **HTTPS://WWW.KOTAK.COM/EN/BANK-AUCTIONS.HTML** PROVIDED IN KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK WEBSITE I.E. WWW.KOTAK.COM AND/OR ON HTTPS://BANKEAUCTIONS.COM.

PLACE:Bangalore
DATE:16-07-2023

AUTHORIZED OFFICER,
KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

(CONSTRUCTION ORGANISATION)

E-TENDER

Tender Notice No. 04-DCE-CN-SA-2023 (0T) DATED 15.07.2023
Tender Notice No. 05-DCE-CN-SA-2023 (OT) DATED 15.07.2023
Tender Notice No. 06-DCE-CN-SA-2023 (OT) DATED 15.07.2023

For and on behalf of The President of India, The Deputy Chief Engineer, Construction, Southern Railway, Salem - 636 005 invites e-tender for the following work as per Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) in our portal **www.ireps.gov.in** The tenderers/ contractors intending to apply for the tender needs to get enrolled in the portal **www.ireps.gov.in** and only online tenders will be accepted.

Name of the work
Doubling of track between Salem and Omalur - Proposed Construction of LUS with 1 x 4.50m RCC Box by Box Pushing Technique at Km.329/100-200 between MGSJ & KPPR and minor bridge with 1 x 3.00m precast RCC box at Km.0/600-700 between MGSJ & OML.
Erode - Irugur Section - Proposed ROB 2 x 15.00m PSC 'I' Girder adjoining on either side of completed track span of 1 x 35.00m clear span with composite girder Balance work in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.142 at Km.466/21-23 between Somanur and Sulur stations.
Proposed Construction of New BG line between Chinnasalem - Kallakurichi - Construction of Gate lodge buildings in LC:107, Ch:4871, Ch:8796 and Signal Hut building in between Chinnasalem & Kallakuruchi.

Cash Value in ₹	Earnest Money Deposit (₹)	Period of completion in month(s)	Closing Date @ 15.00 hrs
2,21,98,151.48	2,61,000.00	SIX	09.08.2023
1,85,33,914.29	2,42,700.00	SEVEN	09.08.2023
65,04,763.04	1,30,100.00	FOUR	09.08.2023

For further details refer to website potal **www.ireps.gov.in** or contact Office of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Construction, Salem - 636 005

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RAICHUR POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

(A JOINT VENTURE COMPANY OF KPCL & BHEL)
(YERMARUS THERMAL POWER STATION)
CIN : U40101KA2009PLC049582

No: KPCL/2023-24/EL/WORK_INDENT232 Date: 12.07.2023

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION

RPCL invites bids through GOK e-procurement platform through e-procurement portal **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in.** Under "WORKS" category from reputed bidders for **"Erection, Testing & Commissioning of 3-Phase welding Receptacles all along the dry ash conveying line racks of AHP".** Last Date & Time for bid submission along with Technical & Financial bid (Part I & II) is on 05.08.2023 up to16.00 hr. Further details can be obtained from the Executive Engineer (E2), RPCL, YTPS, Yermarus 584134, Dist. Raichur Tele/Fax: 08532-286003, Mobile: +91-9480830632, e-mail: eee4ytps@gmail.com

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KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

No:KPCL/2023-24/PS/WORK_INDENT266 Dt:12.07.2023

ABSTRACT BID NOTIFICATION (Two Cover System)

(Through e-Procurement portal only)

KPCL invites bids for **"Preparation of Detailed Project Report for establishment of Solar PV Plants in the premises of BTPS, RTPS and YTPS"** through GoK e-Procurement platform **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** from the qualified bidders. All other details can be accessed from e-portal of GoK. Further details can be had from **The Chief Engineer (O&M), YCCPP, KPCL, YCCPP premises, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560 064 Mobile No: 9141607685 / 9480682821 e-Mail:cegswkpcl@gmail.com/eegswsolar@gmail.com website: www.kpcl.karnataka.gov.in & www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public that the name of MEA NURSERY has been changed to STELLA MARIS NURSERY with effect from 01/04/2023. As per the Govt. Notification permission dated 23/03/2023 from the Department of School Education, Block Education Officer, North 2, 18" Cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore. Sr. Maria Ivy D Souza-Joint Secretary Stella Maris Convent Sr. Irene Colaco- Headmistress Stella Maris Nursery STELLA MARIS NURSERY # 23, GDP EXTENSION, VYALIKAVAL, BANGALORE-560003

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public my client **Sri. A.A Deepak** S/o A.A Gupta, aged about 47 years, R/at No. 05, 3rd Main Road, Vyalikaval, Bengaluru North, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003, is the absolute owner situated at Nandanavana Layout (V) of Bukkasagara Village and Kallabala Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District vide sale deed dated 04.10.2007 document No. JGN-1-02621-2007-08. If any person found the above said Khatha Certificate kindly handover to my client or to his undersigned counsel in this regard my client already lodged a complaint before the Bengaluru City Police online lost Article Report dated: 14.07.2023.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the Piece and parcel Schedule Property site No. V-118, measuring 20 x 30 Bukkasagara Village and Survey No. 90 Kallabalu Village converted for non-agriculture to Residential purpose vide No. ALN.SR. (AG) 1112/1996-97, dated 04.11.1996 issued by the Assistant Commissioner Bengaluru District and measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 20 feet in all measuring total extent of 600 sq. ft. bounded on the :

East by: Road, **West by:** Site No. V-97
North by: Site No. V-119 **South by:** Road.

S. Vishwanath, Advocate
No. 65, SLV Nilaya, Meenakshi Layout, Kalana Agrahara, Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru-560083. Mob: 9972738987
Date: 14.07.2023

SRI LAKSHMI MAHILA SAHAKARA BANK NIYAMITHA

"Lakshmi Sadana", No.3,4, East Anjaneya Temple Street, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-560004, Ph: 080 26614794

PUBLIC NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

The undersigned being the Authorized officer of the Bank has taken possesssion of the immovable property described below under section 13(4) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of security Interest Act- 2002 and the same will be sold by inviting offers/ tenders from the public on **"As is where is" and "As is What is Basis"** subject to the terms and conditions mentioned below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower:- Smt Shabeena Taj W/o Late Pyarejan Sharif, No.34, 9th Main Road, Padarayanapura, BANGALORE-560026.

Names and Address of the Guarantors:- 1)**Sri Aleem Sharif S/o Late Pyarejan Sharif,**
2)Sri Nayeem Sharif S/o Late Pyarejan Sharif, 3) Sri Kaleem Shariff S/o Late Pyarejan Shariff, 4) Sri Saleem Shariff S/o Late Pyarejan Shariff are residing at No.34, 9th Main Road, Padarayanapura, BANGALORE-560026.

Outstanding Liabilities: Rs.15,26,454-00 as on 13-07-2023 with further interest and other charges

Description of immovable property mortgaged for the loan availed by Smt Shabeena Taj W/o Late Pyarejan Sharif :- All that piece and parcel of immovable property belongs to Smt Shabeena Taj bearing New Municipal No.34, (PID NO.44-4-34) situated at Jagajeevan Ram Nagar, 9th Main Road, Padarayanapura, Ward No.44, Bangalore-560026 measures East to West 15 ft and North to South 50 ft about 750 sq ft bounded as follows: East by: Private Property, West by: Passage, North by: Road, South by: Remaining Property of same site No.

Reserve Price: Rs.64,98,000.00 **EMD : Rs.6,49,800.00**

Date of Opening Tenders At 3-00 p.m. on 19.08.2023 at Bank's Premises

Terms and conditions of the Auction :

1. The Property will not be sold below the Reserve Price.
2. The amount of EMD mentioned above shall be paid by way of Pay Order/DD/Banker's cheque drawn in favour of "Sri Lakshmi Mahila Sahakara Bank Niyamitha", Bangalore-4 on or before **5.00 P.M. On 18-08-2023** along with tender/offer letter for purchase of the property in a sealed cover (EMD of the unsuccessful bidder will be returned without interest)
3. The offer/tender letter shall be accompained with attested copy of the PAN Card and photo identity of the bidder/offer with residential address proof.
4. The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorized Officer of the Bank in the presence of the bidders/ tenderers (who may like to be present) on **19-08-2023 at 3.00 P.M.** The Authorized officer is at liberty to give an opportunity to bid or enhance the offer by the bidders or accept the highest bid amount or reject/postpone the sale of the property at his discretion without assigning any reason therefore.
5. Successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the final bid amount (including EMD) immediately on the sale being knocked down in his favour and the balance sale price has to be remitted within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale or any other date as may be specified by the Authorized Officer.
6. The successful bidder shall bear all the legal/incidental expenses towards stamp duty, registration charges local taxes, power and water charges etc.,
7. On confirmation of sale by the Bank and upon compliance of terms of payment, the Authorized officer shall issue the sale certificate in the name of the Purchaser only in the Form in Appendix V of the Security Interest(Enforcement) Rules-2002.
8. The Bank reserves the right to forfeit the amounts already remitted by the bidder if he fails to remit the balance sale price within 15 days or any other date as specified by the Authorized Officer.
9. The Bank will not be responsible for any charge, lien, encumbrance or any other dues to the Government or any claim of any person in respect of the property being sold.
10. The bidder may inspect the property and verify the documents/title deeds available with the Bank with prior intimation and satisfy themselves before submitting the tender (Ph.No.080 26614794).

Note:- This is also a notice to the Borrowers/Guarantors for the loan about holding of acution sale of the property on the date indicated above if the Bank dues are not repaid in full before the date of auction.

Place: Bangalore
Date :13.07.2023

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Sri Lakshmi Mahila Sahakara Bank Niyamitha, Bangalore

ESTD:1907

THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Administrative Offfice: # 3, PAMPAMAHAKAVI ROAD, CHAMARAJPET, BANGALORE -18.
Ph. : 26678572 : 26600512 : 26609066, Tele Fax : (080) 26617980

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED 'ACT').

At their request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its below mentioned branches. The relevant particulars of the property on which they have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives / guidelines Issued d by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrower in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon them, was un-served/ not acknowledged / addressee left / this publication is now Issued.

1) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Smt. Manjula. S W/o Sri. Lingaraju, No. 17, 18th Cross, Mariyappanapalya, K.P.Agrhara, Bengaluru-23.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- New Municipal No. 19/3-1, 20th Cross, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, Mariyappanapalya, K.P. Agrahara, PID No. 32-28-19/3-1, BMP Ward No. 32, Bengaluru. **Measuring :- East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 46+44 feet / 2**
East by : **Municipal No. 19/3, belongs to S.P. Jayakumaraiah & S. Kumar,** West by : **Property No. 09,** North by : **Road,** South by : **Conservancy Galli.**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 7,20,000/-** A/c No :- **LTH:- 100338** Loan issued Date :- **23.03.2013**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs. 2,98,111/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Ninety Eight Thousand One Hundred Eleven Only),** As on **08.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **24.10.2022** Demand Notice dtd:- **08.06.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

2) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Sri. Palani. M S/o Sri. A. Munirathna, No. 3/22, 2nd Cross Road, Choluru Palya, Magadi Road, Bengaluru-23.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- New Municipal No. 3/22, PID No. 33-19-3/22, Old Nos. 242 & 281, Later No. 96, thereafter No. 03 out of No. 08, Cholurpalya, K.P. Agrahara Dhakale, BBMP Ward No. 33 of Vijayanagar, Bengaluru. **Measuring :- East to West : 22 feet & North to South : 13+11 feet / 2**
East by : **Remaining portion of same no property & 3 feet passage,** West by : **Property No.04,** North by : **Others property,** South by : **3 feet passage & thereafter same number property.**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 13,00,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL(EMI):- 404** Loan issued Date :- **28.11.2019**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs. 12,64,010/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand & Ten Only),** As on **08.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **03.05.2023** Demand Notice dtd:- **08.06.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

3) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Sri. Inayathulla S/o Late. Samiulla , No. 18, 3rd Cross, Near Arfath Masjid, West of Padarayanapura, Mysore Road, Bengaluru-26.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- New No. 10, Old No. 89, 9th Cross, West of Padarayanapura, BBMP Ward No. 43 & New Ward No. 135 of Padarayanapura, PID No. 43-105-10, Bengaluru. Measuring :- East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 30 feet
East by : **Property No. 88,** West by : **Property No. 90,** North by : **Road,** South by : **Property No. 92.**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 10,00,000/- & 4,60,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL(EMI):- 87 & 463** Loan issued Date :- **12.09.2019 & 04.08.2020**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs. 12,09,077/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Nine Thousand & Seventy Seven Only),** As on **08.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **05.02.2023** Demand Notice dtd:- **08.06.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

4) Name and Address of the Borrower :- :- Sri. Mahadeva S/o Late. Madegowda & Smt. Nagarathna W/o Sri. Mahadeva, No. 25/1-1, 2nd Main Road, K.P. Agrahara, Bhuvaneshwarinagar, Bengaluru-23.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- New Municipal No. 4/3-3/1, Old Municipal No. 4/3-3, (Northern Portion), Site No. 39, (Eastern Side Portion), "A" Block, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, Magadi Road, Kempapura Agrahara, BBMP Ward No. 32 & New Ward No. 122 of Kempapura Agrahara, PID No. 32-43-4/3-3/1, Bangalore.
Measuring :- East to West : 12 feet (15 feet Including 3 feet Common Passage) & North to South : 20 feet
East by : **Common Passage measuring E to W : 3 feet, N to S : 20 feet from Northern side,** West by : **Remaining portion of the property No. 39,** North by : **Road,** South by : **Southern Portion of No. 4/3-3, Measuring E to W : 15 feet & N to S : 20 feet**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 14,40,000/-** A/c No :- **LTH :- 100463** Loan issued Date :- **18.11.2020**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs. 17,72,316/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand & Three Hundred Sixteen Only),** As on **06.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **16.03.2023** Demand Notice dtd:- **06.06.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

5) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Sri. Nisar Ahmed S/o Late. Isaq Shariff, No. 13C, 11th "D" Cross, Padarayanapura, Bengaluru-26.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- No.15/3, 12th Cross Road, PID No. 43-135-15/3, Padarayanapura, Bengaluru-26.
Measuring :- East to West : 49 feet & North to South : 15 feet
East by : **Conservancy,** West by : **Road,** North by : **G. Ramachandra Reddy's property,** South by : **M. Krisnappa's property**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 13,00,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL :- 004769** Loan issued Date :- **04.01.2013**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs. 6,49,832/- (Rupees Six Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand & Eight Hundred Thirty Two Only),** As on **29.05.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **05.09.2022** Demand Notice dtd:- **29.05.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

6) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Smt. Lakshamma W/o Late. Narayanaswamy, No. 84, 3rd Cross, K.G. Nagar, R.K. Mutt Layout, Bengaluru-19.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- No. 84, Ramakrishna Mutt Layout, K.G. Nagar, BBMP Ward No. 49 & New Ward No. 142 of Sunkenahalli, PID No. 49-39-84, Bengaluru. **Measuring :- East to West : 20 feet & North to South : 30 feet**
East by : **Site No. 83,** West by : **Road,** North by : **Road,** South by : **Site No. 65**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 14,00,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL EMI :- 687** Loan issued Date :- **06.07.2022**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs.14,81,413/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Eighty One Thousand & Four Hundred Thirteen Only),** As on **06.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **06.03.2023** Demand Notice dtd:- **06.06.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

7) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Sri. S. Kumar S/o Late. Siddaiah, No. 22/5-1, 20th Cross, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, K.P. Agrahara, Bengaluru.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- No.22/5, 20th Cross Road, Bhuvneshwari Nagar, BBMP Ward No. 32 of Kempapura Agrahara, PID No. 32-28-22/5, Bengaluru. **Measuring :- East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 100 feet**
East by : **Others property,** West by : **Others property,** North by : **Road,** South by : **Conservancy.**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 14,90,000/- & 28,00,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL :- 4332 & LTL EMI :- 295** Loan issued Date :- **02.11.2010 & 25.10.2018**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs.39,04,735/- (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakhs Four Thousand & Seven Hundred Thirty Five Only),** As on **29.05.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **01.05.2023** Demand Notice dtd:- **29.05.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

8) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Muthyalamma (Deceased) Legal Heirs :- 1. Sri. Kumar. P (Son), 2. Murali. Kumar. P (Son), 3. Kupendra. P (Son), 4. Santhosh. P (Son) & 5. Indrani. P (Daughter) , No. 306, 13th Main Road, V.S. Garden, PID Salappa Layout, Bengaluru-26.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- New No. 35, Old No. 306, 18th Main Venkataswamy Thota, BBMP ward No. 44 of Jagjeevanram Nagar, PID No. 44-72-35, Bangalore. **Measuring :- East to West : 25 feet & North to South : 16.9 feet**
East by : **Site No. 299,** West by : **13th Main Road,** North by : **Site No. 305,** South by : **Site No. 307.**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 8,00,000/-, 4,00,000/- & 6,00,000-/**
A/c No :- **LTC :- 97, LTL:- 5345 & 5628** Loan issued Date :- **03.04.2014 , 30.10.2015 & 09.01.2019**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs.12,54,595/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Five Hundred & Ninety Five Only),** As on **23.05.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **02.03.2020** Demand Notice dtd:- **23.05.2023** Branch:- **VIJAYANAGAR**

9) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Smt. Hajira Begum W/o Sri. H. Akram, No. 18, 1st Cross, Vinayakanagar, Bengaluru-26.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- No.18, 1st Cross, Vinayakanagar Extension, PID No. 43-10-18, BMP Ward No. 43, Mysore Road, Bengaluru.
Measuring :- East to West : 30 feet & North to South : 60 feet
East by : **Property No. 82,** West by : **Property No. 84,** North by : **Property No. 96,** South by : **Road.**
Nature of Facility: Long Term Loan of **Rs. 7,00,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL :- 2903** Loan issued Date :- **20.08.2015**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs.2,58,682/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Fifty Eight Thousand Six Hundred & Eighty Two Only),** As on **07.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **21.11.2022** Demand Notice dtd:- **07.06.2023** Branch:- **CHAMARAJPET (WEST)**

10) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Sri. Imthiyaz Pasha S/o Late. Abdul Azeez, No. 15/1, 4th Cross, Padarayanapura, Bengaluru-26.
1st Schedule All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- No. 15/1-1, 4th Cross, Padarayanapura, BBMP Ward No. 43 of Padarayanapura, PID No. 43-122-15/1-1, Bengaluru. **Measuring :- East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 12 feet**
East by : **Conservancy Galli,** West by : **Remaining portion of same property,** North by : **Property No. 44,** South by : **3 X 60 common passage thereafter property No. 45**
2nd Schedule All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- No. 15/1-1, 4th Cross, Padarayanapura, BBMP Ward No. 43 of Padarayanapura, PID No. 43-122-15/1-1, Bengaluru. **Measuring :- East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 12 feet**
East by : **Remaining portion of same property,** West by : **Remaining portion of same property,** North by : **Property No. 44,** South by : **3 X 60 common passage thereafter property No. 45.**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 7,70,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL :- 2849** Loan issued Date :- **29.05.2015**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs. 2,58,399/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Fifty Eight Thousand Three Hundred & Ninety Nine Only),** As on **07.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **30.12.2022** Demand Notice dtd:- **07.06.2023** Branch:- **CHAMARAJPET (WEST)**

11) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Sri. Syed Chand Pasha S/o Late. Syed Buden Sab, No. 06, 1st Cross, 1st Main road, Shamanna Garden, Mysore Road, Bengaluru.
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing :- Municipal No. 06, (West Portion), 1st Cross, Shamanna Nagar, BBMP Ward No. 42 & New Ward No. 134 of Bapujinagar, PID No. 42-97-6, Bengaluru. **Measuring :- East to West : 17.6 feet & North to South : 49+53 feet / 2**
East by : **Property belongs to others in same number,** West by : **Property belongs to Sri. M. Muniruaju,** North by : **Road,** South by : **Drainage.**
Nature of Facility: **Long Term Loan of Rs. 25,00,000/-** A/c No :- **LTL :- 3589** Loan issued Date :- **21.10.2022**
Out Standing Loan Amount: - **Rs.25,03,475/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lakhs Three Thousand Four Hundred & Seventy Five Only),** As on **07.06.2023,** plus future interest at the contract rate on the aforesaid amount together with incident expenses, cost, charges etc.
Date of NPA :- **12.02.2022** Demand Notice dtd:- **07.06.2023** Branch:- **CHAMARAJPET (WEST)**

12) Name and Address of the Borrower :- Sri. Mohammed Afsar , Sri. Mohammed Asghar & Sri. Mohammed Ansar are children's of Sri. K.M. Moosa, No. 1/13-1, 1st Main Road, 6th Cross, K.T. Halli, B

STATE BANK OF INDIA

RACPC MALLESHWARAM (41161)
No. 97, Railway Parallel Road, Kumarapark West, Bangalore -560020
Ph: 080 25943732, 25943720 , Email: racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable property)

A/c No.: 40720662515

WHEREAS, the under signed being the Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, under the Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) ("Act")and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 ("Rules"), issued a Demand Notice dated **12.04.2023** calling upon the borrowers **(1) Sri Gopal Rakesh** S/o Sri M. Gopal, No. 7, 4th Cross, Chamundeshwari Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru - 560 097., **Also at:** Sri Gopal Rakesh, S/o. Sri M. Gopal, Flat No. 213, 'DS MAX SAGE' Sonam Layout , KRC Main Road, Kyalasanahalli Village, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk - 560 077, **2) Smt. Oindrita Chakraborty,** W/o. Sri Rakesh Gopal, No. 7, 4th Cross, Chamundeshwari Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru - 560 097., **Also at: Smt. Oindrita Chakraborty,** W/o. Sri Rakesh Gopal, Flat No. 213, 'DS MAX SAGE' Sonam Layout , KRC Main Road, Kyalasanahalli Village, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk - 560 077, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs.49,37,908-00** (Rupees Forty nine lakh thirty seven thousand nine hundred and eight only) as on 10.04.2023 and interest from 11.04.2023 and future Interest and other charges and costs thereon within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/guarantor/mortgagor and public in general, that the under signed has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him /her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 of the said Rules, on this **11th day of July of the year 2023.**

The borrower/guarantor/mortgagor in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of State Bank of India, for an amount of **Rs.49,50,146-00** (Rupees Forty nine lakh fifty thousand one hundred and forty six only) as on 21.06.2023 and interest from 22.06.2023 with future Interest and other charges and costs thereon till the date of realization of dues.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that part and parcel of Residential 3 BHK Flat bearing No. SF-213, 2nd Floor, in the Building known as "DS MAX SAGE" having super built up are of 1259 sq. feet, 819 sq. feet of Carpet area and Undivided Share of 413 sq.feet and One Covered Parking Area, in the Property beraing PID No. 77/58/1, in Sy. No. 58/1, situated in Sonam Layout, KRC Main Road, of Kyalasanahalli Village, K. R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk- 560 077, property standing in the joint names of (1) Sri Gopal Rakesh (2) Smt. Oindrita Chakrabortya.

Boundries for the Apartment : On the East by :Road, On the West by : Site No. 62, On the North by: Site No. 57, On the South by : Sy. No. 58 and remaining portion of Sy. No. 58/1.

Sd/-
Place: Bengaluru Authorised Officer
Date: 11.07.2023 STATE BANK OF INDIA

UCO BANK
(A Govt. of India Undertaking)

CANTONMENT BRANCH (0151),
No.83, MG Road, Bangalore 560001,
Ph No.080-25586130,
E-Mail ID-bancan@ucobank.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **UCO Bank, Cantonment Branch, Bangalore** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (No.3 of 2002) issued a **Demand Notice dated 12.05.2023** calling upon the borrowers/guarantors: **Mrs. Mamatha K S and Mr. Mohan Kumar C O,** Both are R/a Flat No.103, II Block wing B, Ark Serene County Apartment, Channasandra Road, Near MVJ College, Bangalore – 560067 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.56,99,889.32** (Rupees Fifty six lakhs ninety nine thousand eight Hundred and eighty nine and thirty two paise Only) as on 30.04.2023 with future interest at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost and charges thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice / paper publication of the said notice.

The borrower/guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on **13.07.2023.**

The borrower/guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the UCO BANK for an amount of **Rs.56,99,889.32/-** (Rupees Fifty six lakhs ninety nine thousand eight Hundred and eighty nine and thirty two paise Only)as on 30.04.2023 and interest + expenses thereon.

The borrower's/guarantors/mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured asset.

SCHEDULE A PROPERTY : All that property measuring four acres twenty six guntas in survey no.11/3, Dasarahalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk duly converted for non- agricultural residential purposes by the order of the deputy commissioner, Bangalore district, Bangalore vide his order bearing No. BDIS.ALN.SR.(N).11/ 2004-05 dtd 15/05/2004 and presently the property bearing BBMP khata/ municipal no.1 of Subratho Mukherji road also known as S. M Road, T.Dasarahalli (situated between Jalahalli circle and Ayyappa Temple), municipal ward no.15 of Dasarahalli sub-division, Bangalore and bounded by: East: Subratho Mukherji road and measuring on that side 148 feet, West:private property and measuring on that side 225 feet, North: property in sy no 11/3 allotted to the share of smt. A V Radha Devamma and hersons and grand children and measuring on that side 1154 feet, South: Ten guntas of land in sy no 11/3 retained by sri A Ramaiah settee and measuring On that side 1105 feet.

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY : 471.14 Square feet undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership in the land in Schedule A Property.

SCHEDULE C PROPERTY : All that residential apartment bearing No.M-206 in First floor of Block-"m' in " VAISHNAVI RATHNAM " built in Schedule A Property and measuring 1200 sq. ft. of super built up area inclusive of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and with right to use TWO car parking spaces and the said apartment is separately assessed for municipal taxes and identified with municipal no.1/261 of Subratho Mukherji Road also known as S. M Road T. Dasarahalli (situated between jalahalli circle and Ayyappa Temple), Municipal ward no.15 of Dasarahalli sub-division, Bangalore and the apartment is bounded by:East by: Entrance and lobby in First Floor in Block-M in 'VAISHNAVI RATHNAM', West by:Open towards open space between 'M' and 'N' Blocks in "VAISHNAVIRATHNAM", North by: Apartment no. M-205 in first floor of Block-'M' in "VAISHNAVI RATHNAM", South by:Open towards open space and Apartment No.L-204 in first floor in Block-L in "VAISHNAVI RATHNAM" Sd/-

Place: Bangalore Authorised Officer
Dt: 13.07.2023 UCO Bank

Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation

ICOMC TOWER, SATYA NAGAR, BHUBANESWAR-751007
No: 32912 /BMC DT: 12/07/203
XXXXX-II-SWMPMV/88/2022-23

NOTICE INVITING TENDER (NIT)
NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING THROUGH e-Procurement

C-812: On behalf of the Commissioner, Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation (BMC), Executive Engineer (DIV-I), BMC invites tenders through e-Procurement in conformity with terms and conditions of the tender document in Two Bid System (Part-I): General & Technical Bid and Part II: Financial Bid /Price Bid/BOQ) from intending bidders fulfilling the eligibility criteria and other qualifying requirements mentioned in this tender document for' the work of "Supply, Installation, Commissioning of one (1) horizontal automatic hydraulic plastic bailing press machines with AMC for four (4) years". Each bid should be submitted online through the e-procurement portal i.e. www.tendersodisha.gov.in. The bidders should have necessary portal enrolment (Digital Signature Certificate) under e-procurement process of Govt. of Odisha in required class/category. For queries, intending bidders may Contact the Office of Executive Engineer (Sanitation)/ Deputy Commissioner (DIV-I), Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation, ICOMC Tower, Satya Nagar, Bhubaneswar-751007.

Standard technical specification of horizontal automatic hydraulic plastic bailing press machine is enclosed in Appendix-I of the bid document.

1. Schedule of Events:

Sl. No	Description	Critical Dates
1.	Period of availability of tender document for bidding.	From Dt. 13.07.2023 to Dt. 02.08.2023 till 5.00 PM
2.	Pre- Bid Meeting	Dt. 18.07.2023 at 12:00 Noon
3.	Submission of Pre-bid queries latest by Bidders to email id: dc-sanitaion@bmc.gov.in	Dt. 19.07.2023 Till 5:00 PM
4.	Last date and time for submission of proposal on online mode	Dt. 02.08.2023 up to 5:00 PM
5.	Date & Time of opening of proposal	Dt.03.08.2023 (03.00PM)

2. Other details can be seen in the bidding document available in website: tendersodisha.gov.in (for view, download and bidding) and in BMC Website www.bmc.gov.in (for view and download only).
3. All amendments, Clarifications, time extension etc. will be uploaded in the website only. Bidders should regularly visit the above website to keep themselves updated.
4. Authority reserves the right to reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reasons thereof subject to the limitations prescribed by Central Vigilance Commission.

By Order of Commissioner, BMC
Sd/-
Executive Engineer (DIV-I)
Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation

OIPR-13002/11/0084/2324

FORM NO. 14
[See Regulation 33(2)]
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE, DEPTT. OF FINANCIAL SERVICES, DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-2, BENGALURU, Jeevan Mangal Building (2nd Floor) No. 4, Residency Road Bengaluru-560 025.

TRC NO. 1482/2018

Vijaya Bank
Brigade Road Branch, Nilgiris Building, 1st Floor, No.171, Brigade Road, Bangalore.
- Certificate Holder Bank
Versus
M/s Blue Hill Investment Pvt Ltd and others
- Certified Debtor/Defendants

DEMAND NOTICE

To
1.M/s Blue Hill Investment Pvt Ltd
No.171, Nilgiris Building,
2nd Floor, Brigade Road,
Bangalore.
Represented by its Director: Sri.
C.Ramachandran & Ms. Meghana Prabhu
2.Sri. Prabhu Ramachandran
S/o C.Ramachandran
R/at:No.187, 1st Block, 2nd cross,
Koramangala, Bangalore - 560 034.
3. Ms. Meghana Prabhu W/o Prabhu
Ramachandran R/at:No. 187, 1st Block, 2nd cross, Koramangala, Bangalore 560 034
4.C. Ramachandran S/o Chenniappan
R/at:No. 187, 1st Block, 2nd cross,
Koramangala, Bangalore-560 034.
5.M/s KSP Enterprises
No.171, 2nd Floor, Brigade Road, Bangalore.
Represented by Authorized Partner:
(Now Managing Partner)
Sri.Prabhu Ramachandran
6.Mr.C. Kumaravelu
S/o M. Chinniappan
R/at: No.646, 4th Cross, 3rd Block,
Koramangala, Bangalore-560 034
-Certified debtor(s)/Defendant(s)

In View of the Recovery Certificate issued in **OA NO.369/2014** passed by the Hon'ble Presiding Officer, DRT, Bangalore dtd.17/02/2016 an amount of **Rs.61,67,028/-(Rupees Sixty One Lakh(s) Sixty Seven Thousand Twenty Eight Only)** is due against you along with interest and costs from date of filing of O.A.s till realization of the Recovery Certificate.

In addition to the sum aforesaid you will be liable to pay all charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and other process that may be taken for recovering the amount due.

You are hereby called upon to deposit the amount within 15 days of the receipt of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made as per rules.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on **01st day of Feb - 2020**

SD/- RECOVERY OFFICER-1
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-2
BANGALORE.

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE & JFMC, AT NELAMANGALA
C. Misc No. 102/2023

PETITIONER: 1. Sri NATARAJU .M, S/o late Maranjanaiah, aged about 22 years, R/at Yedehalli village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural Dist. -A/to-
RESPONDENT: The Thasidar, (Registrar, of Births & Deaths) Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala-562123.

NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner's Mother by name **MUNILAKSHMAMMA, W/o late Maranjanaiah** was died on 24.03.2016 at Yedehalli village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. The Hon'ble court has fixed on **01/08/2023** for hearing of the petition and that if any before person's desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at **11:00 A.M** Failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 20/06/2023

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge, Junior Division and J.M.F.C. Nelamangala

Advocate for Petitioner: **RAMACHANDRA**
Erappa Building, Devanga Street, B.H. Road, Nelamangala Town, Nelamangala-562123.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public my client **Smt. Priyanka** W/o Chetan S.V, aged about 39 years, R/at No. 39 sri. Lakshminarasimha Nilaya, 5th main Road, Bengaluru-560070 is the absolute owner situated at Nandanavana Layout (V) of Bukkasagara Village and Kallabala Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District vide sale deed dated 04.10.2007 document No. JGN-1-02624-2007-08. If any person found the above said Khatha Certificate kindly handover to my client or to his undersigned counsel in this regard my client already lodged a complaint before the Bengaluru City Police online-lost Article Report dated: 14.07.2023.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel Schedule Property site No. V-207-B, measuring 23.0 X 38.0 Bukkasagara Village and Survey No. 90 Kallabalu Village converted for non-agriculture to Residential purpose vide No. ALN.SR. (AG) 1112/1996-97, dated 04.11.1996 issued by Assistant Commissioner Bengaluru District and measuring East to West 23 feet and North to South 38 feet in all measuring total extent of 874 sq. ft. bounded on the :

East by: Site No. V-222, **West by:** Site No. V-207-A, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Site No. V-206.

S. Vishwanath, Advocate
No. 65, SLV Nilaya, Meenakshi Layout, Kalana Agrahara, Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru-560083. Mob: 9972738987
Date: 14.07.2023

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No : CE(SR)/TR/4850/2022_26_3_2/1 & CE(SR)/TR/4850/2022_26_3_1/1

JJM-Karoor Panchayath - Supplying and Laying distribution system in Nelliyani Area and Package 3 - Supplying and Laying distribution system in St. Thomas Mount Area and allied works - Pipeline Work. EMD: Rs. 1,00,000/- & 1,00,000/-; Tender fee : Rs. 8,270/- +1489 & 8,270/- +1489; Last Date for submitting Tender : 25-07-2023, 03:00:pm. Phone : 04812562745
Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in
KWA-JB-GL-6-715-2023-24 Superintending Engineer, PH Circle, Kottayam

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GREATER VISAKHAPATNAM MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

Short Tender Notice No.23/2023-24/CE/SE-II/EE-III/DB/GVMC/Dt: 14.07.2023 (5th call)

01.	No.of Works	:	01 (One)
02.	Value of works (ECV)	:	Rs.1.97 Cr.
03.	Downloading Starting Date	:	15-07-2023 @ 3.00 PM.
04.	Downloading End Date	:	19-07-2023 @ 10.30 AM.
05.	Last date for submission of bid	:	19-07-2023 @ 10.45 AM.

Further details at **http://www.apeprocurement.gov.in**
O/o. the Executive Engineer (PD-IV) Division
Sd/- For COMMISSIONER, GVMC, Visakhapatnam

Can Fin Homes Ltd

UTTARAHALLI BRANCH

No.39,Ground Floor, Subramanyapura Main Road, Chikkalasandra, Near Kadirenahalli Petrol Bunk, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore – 500 061
Tel: 080- 26394003, 7625079142
e-mail: uttarahalli@canfinhomes.com
CIN:L85110KA1987PLC008699

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8 (1)]

(For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of the powers under the said Act and Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated **02-05-2023** calling upon the borrowers **Mr.Bharath Kumar & Mrs.Mary Stella S T** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.18,07,467/-** with further interest at contractual rates, till date of realization within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules,2002 on this **14th day of July 2023.**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of CFHL for an amount of **Rs.18,07,467/-** and interest thereon .

Description of immovable property

Property bearing Northern portion of Site No.10,Khatha No.350, SAS 2324, B Form no.157, Sonnathammanahalli Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore, now coming under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Banagaluru Mahanagar Palike ward no.52, measuring East to west 30 feet & North to South 25 feet & total in all 750 Sq ft and bounded on the: East by :Site No.9, West by : Site No.11, North by : Private Property, South by :Road.

Sd/-
Date: 15.07.2023 **Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Can Fin Homes Ltd.,**

PUBLIC NOTICE

LOST OF DOCUMENT

My client **Mrs.S.V. Kavitha,** residing at No.96, St. Johns Road Cross, Opp. Raheja Arbour, Dasappa Colony, Sivan Chetty Gardens, Bangalore - 560 042, has lost the **Document No.NGB-1-00325-2010-11 of Book-I, stored in C.D. No.NGBD 48, dated: 21-04-2010, registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar,** Nagarabhavi, Bangalore, while cleaning house. In this regard she has lodged a missing complaint with the Bangalore City Police as **Lost Report No.0641104/2023.** If any body finds the above said document please return to me to below mentioned address

MOHAN KUMAR .K.T.,
Advocate No.1051,
20th Main, 53rd Cross,5th Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore - 560 010.
Mob. No.98451 72742

PUBLIC NOTICE

To, Sri. S. Gopi, S/o Late Narayanappa, Residing at No.41, F Street, 10 Cross, Magadi Road, Bangalore-560 023

I am issuing this communication to you under instructions from my 1] Smt. N. Mala, D/o Late Narayanappa, 2] Smt. N. Kokila, D/o Late Narayanappa, 3] Smt. N. Shobha, D/o Late Narayanappa, 4] Sri. N. Anand, S/o Narayanappa, 5] Smt. Bhavani, D/o Late Narayanappa, 6] Smt. N. Lakshmi, D/o Late Narayanappa and 7] Smt. N. Asha, D/o Late Narayanappa, all residing at No.41, F Street, 10 Cross, Magadi Road, Bangalore-560 023.

1. My clients state that my clients and you are the children of Late Narayanappa.
2. My clients state that on 22.02.2014 my clients had executed a General Power of Attorney dated 22.02.2014registered as Document No SRJ-4-00625-2013-14, Book 4, stored in CD No.SRJD142 in theoffice of the Sub Registrar, Basavanagudi (Sarjapur), Bangalore in your favour.
3. My clients state that you have been acting adverse to the interest of my clients.
4. My clients hereby revoke the General Power of Attorney dated 22.02.2014 registered as Document No.SRJ-4-00625-2013-14, Book 4, stored in CD No.SRJD142 in the office of the Sub Registrar, Basavanagudi (Sarjapur), B'lore executed by my clients in your favour.

Vasanth Kumar B.A.LL.,B
Advocate No. 14,4th Cross Byrappa Layout Nagashetty Halli Bangalore 560094 Mob 9611837678

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients **Mr. AYYAPPA RAJA,** S/o Sri. S. Natarajan & his wife **Mrs. JANANI SIVAPRAKASAM,** # No.23/50, Kuppandar Street, Pollachi - 642 001, Coimbatore District, T.N Reptd. by their Power of Attorney Holder - **Mrs. S. BHUVANA,** W/o R. Sivaprakasam, No. 10 & 11, Triveni Gardens, Royakotta Road, Hosur-635 109, T.N intends to purchase the schedule property from **Mr. K.C. NAGENDRA,** S/o Sri. K.R. Channa Keshava Murthy, #.G4, AUM Regency, No.80, South End Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-560 004.

Any claim/s by any person/s over the schedule property may be lodged with documentary proof with the undersigned within 10 days from the date of publication. Later claim/s cannot be entertained and my clients will proceed to purchase the same.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Southern portion of property bearing Site No. **11, carved out of converted Sy.No.53, BBMP Khatha No. 1981/2437/2333/1986/53-11,** comes within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike (BBMP), **Ward No. 188, having its PID No. 188-W0018-34, situated at BILEKAHALLI Village,** Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore measuring **East to West: 41.6+39.28/2 feet & North to South: 27 feet,** in all totally measuring 1091.95 Square feet, Together with 2979 square feet RCC roofed building, bounded on the:

East by : Private Property, West by : Road, North by : Northern portion of Site No. 11, now BBMP assigned as 11/1, South by : Site No. 10.

SOMANNA, Advocate
9, 12th 'A' Cross, 16th Main,
Opp: MICO Layout PS, BTM Layout 2nd Stage, Bangalore - 560 076.
Ph No. 98453 17766. Ph No.94488 54269

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to public at large that the undersigned Advocates are investigating the title of the land bearing Survey No. 127/1 measuring 1,03,721 Square Feet is more fully described in the Schedule below and hereinafter referred to as the **('Land')** originally owned absolutely by **Apple Spire India LLP,** a registered limited liability partnership firm, having its registered office at No.11/2, K.R. Road, beside post office, Basavanagudi, Bangalore - 560 004 **('Owner'),** which is being developed by the said Owner into residential apartment building known as Birla Apple Spire **('Project').** The Owner has represented that it was the sole and absolute owner of the Land on which the Project is being developed and other than the home buyers who have acquired identified unit/s or agreed to acquire certain identified unit/s in the Project, no other person/s has any manner of right, title or interest thereon in either any part of the Land or in the Project.

Public are notified that any person/s, other than the home buyers in relation to their respective units in the Project, having any right, title, claim or interest in the Land or any objection/s of any manner whatsoever are hereby called upon to notify the undersigned with supporting documents within **7 (Seven) days** from the date of this notice. If no such claim is received, it would be deemed that the said Owner has a clear and marketable title to the Land and that no person has any claim over the Land and/or claim/s if any, will be deemed to have been waived.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Municipal No. 508/127/1 (Old) 518/127/1 (New) situated at Panthara palya Village, Rajarajeshwari Nagar Ward, BBMP Ward No. 160, Bangalore, previously land bearing Survey No. 127/1 measuring 1,03,721 Square Feet situated at Pantharapalya Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District duly converted as per the Official Memorandum bearing No. BDS.ALN.SR.S(KT)53/1999-2000 dated 26.02.2000 issued by the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District on which the Project is being developed and bounded on its

Bengaluru 16.07.2023 **N.K. Dilip / S. Raghu Nandana**
Tatva Legal Bangalore, Advocates 4 th Floor, Phoenix Pinnacle, No. 46, Ulsoor Road, Bengaluru-560 042.

COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

KOCHI- 682 022.

RUSA 2.0 Major Research Project
Purchase of Laboratory Equipments

E-TENDER NOTICE

No. CUSAT/PL(UGC)/A5/58552/2023 Dt: 14.07.2023
E-tenders are invited from reputed firms for the supply of various laboratory/ scientific equipments.
Critical dates of e-tender
Start Date: **15/07/2023**, 11:00 AM.
Last Date: See individual e-tenders.
For details, please visit:
https://etenders.kerala.gov.in
OR **https://cusat.ac.in/** Sd/-
REGISTRAR

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients have entered into transaction of purchase of the property mentioned in the schedule below with M/s Akarsh Deepa Chits India Private Limited having its registered Office at No. 66, Devika Complex, Tumkur Road, Near Metro Pillar No. 481, T. Dasarahalli, Bangalore-560057 by its Director and Authorised Signatory Sri. Roshan Ashok S/o K.C. Ashok. Now the public is hereby notified that if any persons / institutions have got any claims in respect of the schedule property are hereby requested to forward their claims with copies of the supporting documents to the undermentioned address within FIFTEEN days from today. If no claims are received within the said period my client will proceed and conclude the transaction as if there are no claims from any persons.

SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of Vacant Site bearing No.85 carved out of residentially converted land in Survey No. 3 situated at Karivobanahalli Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk vide Conversion No. ALN(N.Y)S.R.21, 23, 25, 26, 28, 29 and 30/2007-08 dated 02-04-2008 issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District in "Bluejay Sunshine Hills" Layout with the approval issued by Bangalore Development Authority, Bangalore measuring East to West 12.19 in North to South 9.14 m. totally measuring 111.42 Square metres or 1200 Square Feet and bounded on the:

East: Site No. 66, **West:** Road,
North: Site No. 86, **South:** Site No. 84.

Veerendra Patil, Advocate
Amareshwar Nilaya, No. 20-A/19, 7th Main, 4th Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-10. Phone: 080-23143537
Bangalore, Date : 15.07.2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE COURT OF HON'BLE SMALL CAUSE JUDGE AT BANGALORE
S.C. No. 528/2022

Between : Bank of Baroda, Moodalpalya Branch, No. 66/67, Krishna Complex, Nagarabhavi Road, Moodalpalya, Bengaluru - 560 072 **...Plaintiff**
And
Mr. K. Babu & Anr ...Defendant

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT No. 1 & 2

To: 1. Mr. K. Babu S/o Kanappa, No. 275, 14th Cross, 6th Main Road, Mahalakshmipuram, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560 086.

2. Smt. Ashalata Babu W/o. K. Babu, 6th Main Road, Mahalakshmipuram, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560 086. **...Defendants**

WHEREAS, the Plaintiff has instituted suit under section 26 read with Order VII, Rule 1 of the Civil Procedure Code, against the defendants for recovery of a sum of **Rs.1,67,149.00** (Rupees One Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand One hundred and Forty Nine only) as on 07.05.2022 together with current and future interest and for other reliefs.

Take notice that you are hereby required to appear before this Court to show cause on **18.08.2023 at 11.00 a.m.** in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted. Take notice of relief sought.

Take notice that in case of default the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court on this **23.06.2023.**

By Order of the Court
Sd/-Sheristedar
Court of Small Causes, Bangalore

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL, KARNATAKA
Krishi Bhavan, Hudson Circle, Nrupathunga Road, Bangalore-560 001 Ph: (080) 22244324

R.P.No. 194 2010 in DRC No.6115 01/12/2010

To
1. M/s Anugraha Motors,
No.19, R.M.Nagar Main Road,
Doddabanaswadi, Bangalore - 560 043.
By its Proprietor
Sri.A.K.S.Purushoth.
2. Sri.A.K.S.Purushoth,
S/o Sri.Krishnam Naidu, Residing at No.1492, 13th Cross, Vyalikaval, Maruthi Extension, Bangalore - 03.
3. Smt.Jaya Sudha,
W/o Sri.A.K.S.Purushoth, Residing at No.1492, 13th Cross, Vyalikaval, Maruthi Extension, Bangalore 03.
4. Sri.Lokesh.K,
Residing at No.1492, 13th Cross, Vyalikaval, Maruthi Extension, Bangalore 03,
Defendant/Certified Debtors

Subject: DRC No.6115 in OA No.448/2009 in the matter of Vijaya Bank, Malleshwaram Branch, Bangalore 560 003.
Vs. M/s Anugraha Motors. & ORS.

Whereas a Debts Recovery Certificate has been forwarded by the Hon'ble Presiding Officer, Debt Recovery Tribunal, Karnataka, Bangalore vide DRC No.6115 dated 22.10.2009 under the sub section (22) of Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 (Act 51 of 1993) hereinafter referred to as the Act. Rs.15,99,035.00 (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs Ninety Nine Thousand and Thirty Five only) the details of which are given below is to be recovered from you jointly and severally.

2. You the defendants are hereby directed to pay the above said sum, within 15 days from the date of receipt of this notice, to the applicant bank, under intimation to the undersigned, failing which recovery shall be effected in accordance with the provisions of Section 25 and other relevant provisions of the Act.

3. In addition to the sum aforesaid, you shall be liable, for payment of:

(a) Such interests as is payable in accordance with the provisions of the Said Act of 1993 for the period from the date of order of the Tribunal till the date of realization of the debt in full; and

(b) All costs, charges and expenses incurred for the service of this notice and other processes and warrants and all other proceedings for the realization of the debt in full.

1. AMOUNT OF DRC.

Sl. No	ITEM	AMOUNT (in Rupees)
1	Amount Determined	1494879.00
2	Interest @ 14.5% p.a. compounded monthly from 15/07/2009 to 22/10/2009.	59156.00

2. SCHEDULE OF COSTS

Sl. No	Items of Costs	Amount
1	O.A. Fees paid to DRT	17000.00
2	Advocate's fee	25000.00
2	Other charges	3000.00
3. TOTAL (1+2)		1599035.00

(KN MANJUNATHA)
RECOVERY OFFICER I

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE NO. SR-TVC-GSU-SNT/23-24/09 DATED 14.07.2023

The Chief Project Manager, Gati Shakti Unit, Southern Railway, Thiruvananthapuram Division, Thiruvananthapuram-14 for and on behalf of The President of India invites e-tenders for the following work.

Tender No.: TVC-GSU-SNT-23-24-05
Name of work: Reliability improvement of telecom assets by provision of dual battery bank, surge protection and improvement to earthing at OFC Huts of TVC, PGT and SA division.
Cash Value (Approx.) (₹): 4,34,29,424.54
Earnest Money Deposit (₹): 3,67,200.00
Last Date for Receipt of Tender: 07.08.2023 14.00 Hrs
Completion period: 8 Months
Complete details & tender document will be available at **www.ireps.gov.in**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

My client Sri.B.Shiva Reddy, aged about 61 years, S/o.Sri.Lakshmi Reddy, R/at No.22, 1st floor, 1st Main, 2nd Cross, Muthyalanagar, Bangalore -560054 is the owner of site which is more fully described in the schedule herein below, the same having been purchased by him from Smt.Dommaraju Radhika under registered sale deed dated 03-02-2021, which is registered as document No.GNR-1-03536-2020-21 and saved in C.D.No.GNRD678 in the office of Sub-Registrar, Ganganagar, Bangalore. Smt.Dommaraju Radhika acquired the said site from Sri.Dommaraju Prabhakar under gift deed dated 14-12-2020, which is registered as document No.YAN-1-05385-2020-21 and saved in C.D.No.YAND1163 in the office of Sub-Registrar, Yelahanka, Bangalore. He has lost the said original gift deed dated 14-12-2020 pertaining to the schedule property. A police complaint is also lodged in this regard. Public are hereby informed that any person having any right/claim over the schedule property or any portion thereof in any manner may lodge his/her/their claim/objection in writing to the undersigned within 7 days hereof along with copies of all the documents being relied upon, as otherwise it will be presumed that there are no claims/objections from any person/s and my client will be at liberty to deal with the said site as he deems fit and necessary.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Eastern Portion of site No.5A, V.P.Katha No. 123/194/141/252/5A (old No.141/252/5A) PID No. 150200200600323941, carved out of Sy No.55/4, 55/6, 56/1, 57/1, 57/2, 56/1 & 56/2, situated at Addeviswanathapura village, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore measuring: East to West : 12.192 mtrs (40 feet) North to South : 21.33 mtrs (73 feet)

In all measuring 271.27 Sq.mtrs (2920 Sq.ft) and bounded on the-

East by: Site No.3, **West by:** Remaining portion of same site No.5A, **North by:** 30 feet Road, **South by:** Site No.4B.

K. SOMASEKHAR REDDY, Advocate
No.1, 1st Floor, M.C.Plaza, 1st Main Road, 1st Cross, Ganganagar, Bangalore-560 032. Ph:9448381245

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -II AT BANGALORE
O. A. NO. 218/2022

BETWEEN : CANARA BANK, Nelamangala Branch, Roopa Complex, BH Road, Nelamangala - 562123, Bangalore Rural District **...APPLICANT**
AND: M/S Kanva Star Resorts, Represented by its Partners and others **...DEFENDANTS**

Summons Issued U/r 23 (viii) Of The DRT (Procedure) Rules 1993 to the Defendants No.1,2,&4

Whereas, the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the recovery of debts due to banks and financial institutions act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.17,51,90,350/-(Rupees Seventeen Crore Fifty One Lakhs Ninety Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Only)** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of this summons/notice or **on 06-10-2023 at 10.30 AM** in person or by a pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence

Given under my hand and the seal of this tribunal on this the **10nd day of July 2023.**

By Order Of The Tribunal, Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-II Bangalore

To : M/S Kanva Star Resorts
Represented by its Partners, Sri. N Nanjundaiah Sri. M N Srirama Reddy, No.361, IInd Floor, 19th Main, Nest to Diacon Hospital, Rajajinagar 1st Block, Bangalore - 560010. **.....Defendant No.1**

Sri. N Nanjundaiah, S/o Sri. S. Narayanappa, A 408, 4th floor, Brigade Gate Way, Dr. Rajkumar Road,Subramanyanagar, Ward No.9, Rajajinagar Extention, Bangalore - 560055. **.....Defendant No.2**

**M/S Kanva Fash

Sindhu loses, Lakshya in semis of US Open

PV Sindhu suffered a straight-game defeat to crash out in the quarterfinals, but Lakshya Sen marched into the last-four stage of the US Open Super 300 badminton tournament. Sindhu was stunned 20-22 13-21 by 24-year-old Gao Fang Jie of China in women singles, while Lakshya defeated S Sankar Muthusamy Subramanian 21-10 21-17 in an all-Indian men's singles match.

Netherlands men will be making their fifth ODI WC appearance, their first since 2011, in India this October. Coach Ryan Cook reflects on their dream campaign, the significance of their achievement & more...

DUTCH & GO

FIROZ MIRZA & GOMESH S

EVERYONE loves a fairytale ending. Even more so in sports. The recent 2023 ODI World Cup Qualifiers potential for so many of them. However, as it is reality at this point, there were only place for two, with the Netherlands and Sri Lanka fulfilling their dream. The Dutch didn't have several key players nor do they have an ODI scheduled for the foreseeable future and yet, they achieved something special in Zimbabwe, finishing second in the qualifiers and their head coach Ryan Cook is immensely proud of it.

Cohesion, team bonding, diversity, celebrating each other keeps coming back as he reflected on the journey, the obstacles, challenges, mentality to get to this point and what they would need to grow strength to strength from hereon before the global event in a conversation with this daily. *Excerpts.*

(TOP) Netherlands team after finishing second in the ODI World Cup Qualifiers in Harare. The Dutch squad indulged in rowing activity back home | NETHERLANDS CRICKET

> **Three months to go until the World Cup and we don't have any ODI scheduled on the calendar up until then. And obviously some of the other countries that didn't qualify sit in the same boat as us. We'll be looking out to try and see if we can reach out to some of the countries particularly in the subcontinent to be willing to play against us prior to the World Cup. Even if those are A-side fixtures we'd be open to those as well. And hopefully we can be able to go play some of those fixtures and be able to gain some exposure and experience in that space.** — Ryan cook, Netherlands Coach

On World Cup qualification & its impact

We had some ups and downs along the way and to achieve something like that was a massive achievement that just shows what the Netherlands cricket are capable of doing. Hopefully, it has set a great perception back home. And it has some lasting impact going forward in the game. Not only in the belief of the players and the support staff but also obviously from the administration and what can be achieved with the team.

On beating West Indies in Super Over

To be able to score 370 in a must-win run chase was something quite extraordinary and not only mentally do the players need to prepare for that but physically to be able to prepare for something like that also makes a huge difference. So I must take my head off to the strength and conditioning coach and the physios. In the previous game against Nepal, we chased down 168 in 28 overs. I had said to the guys that if we continued on that trajectory, we probably would have got to about 180 by 30 overs. If we doubled our score at 30 overs, we would have been somewhere around 360. I was not to know that in the next game we would need to chase over 360. So in the break at half-time, I just reminded the guys that we would have been on course to score like this before when we were chasing and so now that this opportunity presents itself we just need to go and do it exactly like we've been trained to do. It really was an all round thing. But technically, mentally, tactically and physically to be able to chase those 370 runs down was an unprecedented achievement for the team and the batting group.

On challenges for cricket in Netherlands

Obviously, cricket is not a huge sport out in the Netherlands. Its a small community but a very passionate and loving one and one that's very intimate. So, competing with the other sports is not something that we really focus a lot on. We do have our own challenges in terms of training and preparing, availability of players. We do have some facilities which are very good out in the Netherlands, but there are not many of them. But we don't really focus on things that we don't have. We think we focus on things that we do have, things that we can do and things that we are willing to do as well. So, I think from that perspective, the attitude of the players and the support staff and administrators as well, is one of gratitude and ones that we try and make the most out of what we have resources-wise.

Sunday Special

On building cohesion

Came up with the rowing concept a little while ago while I was at IPL. Just looked at what would we need to do in order to be successful at the qualifiers. Being in the Netherlands and the canals are part of everything. The guys are to row the boats and that meant pulling your all as hard as you can. The best experiential experience that we could think of was to go out there into the canals and do some rowing. Monica Visser (Netherlands Cricket CEO), who was previously the CEO of Royal Dutch Rowing Union as well. So we had some good connections there and were able to set up a day out on the canals rowing whilst a few people taught us how to do it. When I was with the Hobart Hurricanes, the high performance director was Drew Ginn, who was part of the Awesome Foursome who won gold medals for Australia in the Olympics. We actually got him in to talk to the guys as well in the lead up to the tournament, and just explain what it takes to be part of a successful boat and that also inspired the guys. The feedback from the players was that they loved it and got a couple of calluses on their hands. That got us to understand what it means to row together which I think was a fantastic thing.

On the diversity in the team

We obviously have great diversity in the team and each person brings specific gifts and characteristics to the team. We really don't feel like we are much different although we do celebrate the uniqueness of each individual. We made some ores which was really nicely done by the assistant coaches. Players had to put their name on it and what they brought to the team and present it to the team throughout the tournament. It was a great thing for the guys to build some camaraderie and some culture around. We celebrated what those guys bring to the team and we will remind those guys throughout the tournament in different ways to be able to inspire them on specific moments or in specific games to be able to continue to keep bringing that special gift to the team.

On impact of ODI Super League on players' growth

I think what the ODI Super League did for the players was to improve them and make sure that they learn from each game and learn from some of the best in the world. I think the extraction of learning that they've been able to take from those games has been immense. I just look at some examples from last year and how the guys improved throughout the summer playing 11 international matches within a summer which is unprecedented in Dutch cricket, and very significant for the guys to be able to compete with guys at the highest level. From that perspective, it's also showing us what we are capable of doing, but also allowed us to learn the ways in which other teams are playing and what kind of things we can incorporate into our own game.

On way forward for associate nations

In terms of the ICC, I'm not sure that's probably because of my paygrade in terms of what can be done or what can't be done. What I do know though, is that obviously our players have got better by playing against the best teams in the world on a consistent basis. I've heard that any of the teams who are upcoming do get that opportunity as well. That will definitely raise the tide and flick all the boats in terms of getting teams up to speed and getting teams in the associate countries to build the infrastructure around how they become competitive. Although I understand that they are some of the intricacies around finance etc. I do think that there probably needs to be a growth of the game in mind as well when it comes to putting future tour programs together, or leagues of sorts, which will be able to contribute to more teams getting more exposure and more resources to be able to grow the game globally.

Mark-swoman Vondrousova

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN @ Chennai

Czech Republic's Marketa Vondrousova lays on the court as she reacts after beating Tunisia's Ons Jabeur to win the final | AP

THERE has been some crazy storylines in women's tennis in recent times. Remember Emma Raducanu winning the US Open in 2021? Ash Barty winning the Australian Open in 2022 before announcing her retirement two months later. Serena Williams winning a 23rd Slam while being eight weeks pregnant in Melbourne in 2017 before trying and failing to emulate Margaret Court's record of 24 for the next few years. The thrilling emergence of Naomi Osaka. Ons Jabeur putting an entire region on the world tennis map.

On Saturday, Marketa Vondrousova added her name to the list of storylines as she continued Czech Republic's love story at SW 19. The unseeded 24-year-old joined Petra Kvitova and Jana Novotna in becoming the third player from her country to hold aloft the famous Venus Rosewater Dish since 1998. Vondrousova herself called the run crazy during the post semifinal press conference on Thursday. When the Championships began two weeks ago, there was little hope and almost no expectation. Her husband was on cat-sitting duties back home while her coach had promised to get a tattoo if his ward managed to win (both men were on centre court grinning from ear to ear on Sunday). While the 42nd ranked player may have begun the tournament with no hope and no expectation, she showed a glimpse of what she was capable of during her second-round takedown of Veronika Kudermetova, the 12th seed, in straight sets. That she has taken down five seeds in seven matches tells you this win was no fluke. What has worked for is her ground-hitting prowess and a gun first service.

In fact, coming into the final, she had won a more points on her first serve than her opponent in all matches. That theme continued in the final also. With Jabeur struggling to land her first serves, she had to rely on other weapons to get points.

FIRST SET

After a slow start, the Czech won three straight games to take a 5-4 lead. Thanks to a very healthy first-serve percentage, Vondrousova then capitalised to take the first stanza. Jabeur, who led 2-0, had a string of unforced errors in the back end of the set.

Vondrousova 6-4 Jabeur

SECOND SET

In simple terms, Vondrousova had little trouble in winning the bigger points. In the defining theme, Vondrousova's bigger serves helped her in getting cheap points throughout the set. Jabeur's unforced errors count didn't help and the Czech closed out the match at the first time of asking.

Vondrousova 6-4 Jabeur

However, that didn't work as she had 31 unforced errors to Vondrousova's 13. While the Tunisian, who has now lost in three Major finals, did lead the winners count 25-10, she couldn't win the big points.

While Jabeur called it as the most painful loss of her career, the Czech smiles were in sharp contrast to what she was feeling a year ago. Injuries are an occupational hazard for a sportsperson, but it has almost been her calling card. The former junior World No. 1, who won silver at the Tokyo Games in 2021, has lost 18 months to assorted injuries on her left arm. With a Major up her sleeve and if she manages to remain healthy, she does have the potential to be a big player.

DID YOU KNOW?

WIMBLEDON TRIVIA

Novak Djokovic s last defeat at Wimbledon was in the

2013 FINAL

CHAMP VS. CONTENDER

A veteran of this stage, Novak Djokovic, faces one of the principle contenders, Carlos Alcaraz, in the men's final. A look...

Novak Djokovic	Name	Carlos Alcaraz
36	Age	20
2	Ranking	1
23	Slams	1
1	H2H	1

It's an ultimate showdown. Everything comes down to one match. All eyes of the tennis and the sports world will be directed on this final. It's probably the most watched tennis match globally." — Djokovic

I think it's more special to play against a legend from our sport. If I win, it would be amazing for me — not only to win a Wimbledon title but to do it against Novak it would be super special." — Alcaraz

DJOKOVIC CONTINUES QUEST

The Serb's last Wimbledon loss was in 2017. Since then, he's been a battering ram on the surface winning four titles including one where he had to save championship points against Roger Federer in 2019. He can also move two clear of Rafa Nadal if he wins an eighth title at SW 19.

ALCARAZ'S HERE TO STAY

When the two met last (semifinals at Roland Garros), the Spaniard gave as good as he got in the first two sets before cramping up badly. He will have learned a few lessons from that match. Already in his second Slam final and first since 2022 US Open, the 20-year-old will want to show the world that he's not just the future but the present.

ROAD TO FINAL

Rd 1	Cachin 6-3, 6-3, 7-6(4)	Rd 4	Hurkacz 7-6(6), 7-6 (6), 5-7, 6-4	Rd 1	Chardy 6-0, 6-2, 7-5	Rd 4	Berrettini 3-6, 6-3, 6-3, 6-3
Rd 2	Thompson 6-3, 7-6(4), 7-5	QF	Rublev 4-6, 6-1, 6-4, 6-3	Rd 2	Muller 6-4, 7-6(2), 6-3	QF	Rune 7-6 (3), 6-4, 6-4
Rd 3	Wawrinka 6-3, 6-1, 7-6(5)	SF	Sinner 6-3, 6-4, 7-6 (4)	Rd 3	Jarry 6-3, 6-7(6), 6-3, 7-5,	SF	Medvedev 6-3, 6-3, 6-3

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EXPRESS READ

Sangeeta wins bronze in Hungary

HUNGARY: Sangeeta Phogat, one of the six wrestlers who protested against WFI chief Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh, won a bronze medal in the non-Olympic 59kg category that featured six grapplers at the Hungary Ranking Series. Sangeeta began with a crushing defeat by fall but bounced back with a win in her second bout. She lost her semifinal but won the bronze play-off 6-2 against young Hungarian Viktoria Borsos, the U-20 World Championship silver medallist. Sangeeta began with a defeat by fall against American Jennifer Page Rogers.

West Zone's Priyank Panchal (R) is batting on 92 | VINOD KUMAR T

Panchal keeps fight going for West Zone

AGENCIES @ Bengaluru

SHEPHERDED by Priyank Panchal's innings, West Zone defied South Zone bowlers while chasing a formidable 298 and finished day four of the Duleep Trophy final at 182 for five here on Saturday.

They still need 116 more runs to retain their title, setting the stage for an exciting concluding day. In the first session, South, who were 181 for 7 overnight, were bowled out for 230 as left-arm spinner Dharmendra Jadeja grabbed five wickets.

But the day's protagonist was the West Zone captain. Panchal, who completed 8000 runs in first-Class cricket en route to his 92 off 205 balls, kept the hopes of West alive on an attritional day. Panchal and Sarfaraz Khan amassed 98 runs for the fifth wicket.

BRIEF SCORES: South 213 & 230 vs West 146 & 182/5 in 62.3 ovs (Panchal 92 n.o).

Ashwin shines as India take 1-0 lead vs Windies

AGENCIES @ Roseau (Dominica)

THE world's top-ranked bowler R Ashwin was too good for an ill-equipped West Indies batting line-up as his second five-wicket haul of the game set up India's innings and 141-run victory in the opening Test here on Friday.

After India declared their first innings at 421 for five midway into the afternoon session, an improved batting show was expected from the Caribbean batters but they were simply not up to the task and collapsed to 130 all out in 50 overs to ensure a three-day finish. Ashwin followed his 33rd five-wicket haul in the first innings with envious figures of seven for 71 in 21.3 overs, his best in an overseas Test.

Brief scores: West Indies 150 & 130 all out in 50.3 ovs (Ashwin 7/71) **lost to** India 1st Innings: 421/5 decl. in 152.2 ovs (Jaiswal 171).

Taekwondo athletes may be forced to sit out Asiad

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

FACTIONALISM may have cost India taekwondo athletes dear as they may miss out on a chance to represent the country at the upcoming Asian Games in Hangzhou, China. The quadrennial event is scheduled from September 23 to October 8. It is learnt that the Indian Olympic Association (IOA) has not sent the final entries to its Asian counterparts even as the deadline expired on Saturday.

"Taekwondo entries have not been sent to the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) so I don't think they would be able to compete at the Asian Games this edition. There is a dispute between two factions which led to the decision of not sending final entries. Players are the biggest losers because of the ongoing mess at the national federation as they will not be able to compete at the Asiad this time," a source in the know told this daily.

Apart from taekwondo, wrestling is the other sport whose final entries have not been sent to the OCA. However, the continental body had earlier extended the deadline for the wrestling entries accepting the IOA's request.

Suspense continues in karate

Meanwhile, there is also a chance that Indian karatekas could also miss the flight. The IOA though has sent the entries but there is a possibility that the Asian body might not approve the names. "The team consists of players selected by the SAI not the federation which is recognised by the Asian body. If the Asian body doesn't approve, the entries could be rejected. Anything concrete on it can be known only on Monday once we get the reply from the OCA on entries," added the source.

Sreeshankar eyes bigger targets

INDRANEEL DAS @ Chennai

THERE was nothing lacking in his approach, training and attitude. Yet he was not able to cross that 8.36m, his previous personal best before 8.41m this year, at international competitions. It was more mental than physical, perhaps. He came close last year in Greece when he managed 8.31m but somehow he was not being able to go beyond his best effort.

The story can change this time though. The way Sreeshankar celebrated with clenched fists and a loud yell showed how relieved he was. Always under pressure to perform abroad, this effort would definitely help him soothe those nerves. And the most heartening thing for him and his father and coach S Murali is that he qualified for the Paris Olympics next year (qualifying mark is 8.27m and the cycle started on July 1).

On Saturday, hot and humid conditions did not deter him from clearing that distance for silver at the Asian Athletics Championships in Bangkok. The colour of the medal is not something that is bothering him. He is happy with the distance, the furthest any Indian long-jumper has managed on foreign soil. "It gives confidence when you jump such a distance," he said during an interaction. "My body is more used to hot and humid climate. It could be because I am born and brought up in Palakkad, where the conditions are similar to Bangkok." From his formative years, he has been training in Palakkad. At the Lausanne Diamond League, he struggled because of cold and windy conditions and could not cross 8m on that night. Otherwise, this season alone he has crossed the 8m-mark more than 20 times. The 24-year-old though he could have won gold in Bangkok but Chinese Taipei's Yu Tang Lin jumped 8.40m to win the gold.

With Olympics qualification over for Sreeshankar, with more than a year left, his team will now focus on his training and preparation from now. "Really relieved and happy that he qualified for the Olympics now," said Murali. "Instead of thinking about qualification, we can now prepare our training and competition programme for Olympics well in advance. We can start our season a bit late also." Like all coaches, Murali felt his son could have done better.

Gold in 4x400 mixed relay

The team of Amoj Jacob, Rajesh Ramesh, Aishwarya Mishra and Subha V won the gold medal in the 4x400 mixed relay. In men's high jump, Sarvesh Anil Kushare managed silver while Asian Games gold medallist Swapna Barman (5840) too won silver in heptathlon. Santhosh Kumar won India's only bronze on Saturday in the 400m hurdles.

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Omar Abdullah said local political leaders have grown accustomed to curbs put on their movement post-August 2019 but this cannot weaken their connect with the masses

Prime Minister Narendra Modi gifted a hand-made Kashmiri silk carpet to the president of the French national Assembly during his visit. Local rugmakers hailed the gesture as an advert for their products

WHY ETHNIC VIOLENCE HAS PARTITIONED MANIPUR

QUICK QUESTIONS

Is the Manipur High Court the trigger for the conflict?

Violence broke out weeks after the Manipur High Court ordered the state government to "consider the case of the petitioners for inclusion of the Meetei/Meitei community in the ST list, expeditiously, preferably within a period four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order...". During his visit to the strife-torn state in the last week of May, Union home minister Amit Shah said, "I can say it without any hesitation that because of a hasty Manipur High Court decision (order), the ethnic clashes started."

What was the situation in the state before the conflict started?

The Meiteis and the Kukis had no issues before. They lived in peace. There are many mixed families. The problem started after the forest survey in September last year and the resultant eviction drives. The Kukis suspected the exercises as attempts by the government to grab their land as the Meiteis' demand for ST status was gaining momentum.

Is restoring AFSPA a solution?

It will be difficult to say whether the return of AFSPA in the 19 police station areas can help stabilise the situation. But if AFSPA is re-enforced, the army will find it easy to operate. AFSPA gives sweeping powers to the armed forces to act against civilians.

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @Guwahati

Seventy days after violence broke out in Manipur, the communal cauldron is still boiling. This tiny state has been partitioned on ethnic lines, its divisions also running down to mixed families. People believe a rapprochement between the two warring communities – Meitei and Kuki – is a long way off. Insecurities among people are at an all-time high in this frontier state.

Genesis of conflict

In September last year, the Manipur government began conducting a survey of reserve forests, wetlands etc., to check deforestation after observing that forest lands were increasingly being encroached upon by some elements. The survey was carried out in parts of Meitei-majority Imphal valley as well as the hills where the tribal Kukis and Nagas live, followed by the eviction of encroachers. When the drives continued in the Kuki hills, the locals became apprehensive. They felt they were being targeted.

The state government claims there has been a major influx of people from neighbouring Myanmar. The Kukis, Meiteis and Nagas have villages on the other side as well. The government was also wary of the menace of poppy, allegedly cultivated by the "new Kukis" or illegal Kuki immigrants from Myanmar. So, it launched an anti-poppy campaign. But a section of the Kukis viewed these steps as attempts to grab their land. Government officials allege the Kukis keep shifting villages and forming new ones, many of them in forest land, resulting in the denudation of forests due to rampant encroachment.

Second major conflict

This is the second major conflict the Kukis in Manipur are finding themselves in. In the early 1990s, the Naga-Kuki clashes over land ownership in the hills resulted in an exodus of thousands of Kukis to other peripheral areas of the Imphal valley and Assam. In the instant case, a conflict between the state's BJP government and the "illegal Kuki immigrants" and "encroachers" snowballed into a battle between the Kukis and the Meiteis.

On April 27, a mob vented its ire by torching the venue of a scheduled programme of Chief Minister N Biren Singh in the Kuki heartland of Churachandpur. Days later, on May 3, a full-scale violence broke out following a "tribal solidarity march", which was organised by the All Tribal Students' Union Manipur across Naga and Kuki hills against the majority Meiteis' demand for their inclusion in the Scheduled Tribes (ST) list.

The Meiteis account for 53% of Manipur's population but they are confined to the Imphal valley which straddles just 8% of the state's total geographical areas. The hills make up the remaining 92% of the state. The Meiteis cannot buy land in the hills since they're protected for ST communities, but the tribals, including Kukis and Nagas, can do so in the hills as well as the Imphal valley. This gave rise to a disenchantment in a section of the Meiteis – the ruling class of the erstwhile Meitei kingdom. This section of the people says the ST movement is more for the protection of land in the Imphal valley than anything else. Another section of Meiteis, however, stands opposed to the ST demand. These people argue that the Meiteis cannot sacrifice their 2,000-year-old history and cannot lie that they are tribals. This section also says the elite favoured the ST demand, as they wanted the best out of everything without thinking much about the larger social issues, social dynamics and crises that might emerge.

Partition of state

The ethnic clashes have physically partitioned Manipur. Thousands of displaced people have been living in relief camps since the violence broke out while many others fled to other states. Mizoram alone has given shelter to an estimated 12,000 of the displaced people. Both communities are feeling the heat. The Kukis cannot enter the Imphal valley and similarly, the Meiteis cannot leave the Imphal valley as arterial highways pass through Kuki villages. The Kukis of Imphal valley have moved to the hills where they are in a majority and the Meiteis, who lived in the Kuki hills, are now taking refuge in the Imphal valley.

After almost three days of widespread arson and violence, the government started evacuating the people to safety. Convoys of Army and Assam Rifles accompanied the people whose homes were burnt down by the rampaging mobs. They picked up whatever little they could, boarded buses, trucks or their own cars and left for places where their community is in a majority. There are no signs of reversing this partitioning. The Kukis and the Nagas are Christians while the Meiteis are mostly Hindus or follow their indigenous faith Sanamahism.

Status of violence

The state remained relatively peaceful over the past three days. Sporadic incidents of firing, which were common in the foothill areas of Imphal East-Kangpokpi, Imphal West-Kangpokpi and Bishnupur-Churachandpur districts, have stopped. Over 35,000 personnel of Army and paramilitary forces are still deployed. Official sources said the personnel are engaged in area domination to ensure Manipur remains incident-free. "The situation remains peaceful but it is fragile. The situation is being closely monitored to prevent any violence," sources said.

The security forces faced two problems while dealing with the violence. First, they invariably encountered large groups of women when they went out to thwart violence or stop it when it was on. The women would block the paths of the personnel. Second, the security forces found it tough to operate in areas under 19 police stations from where the Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act has been withdrawn. This Parliamentary Act grants special powers to the armed forces in areas classified as "disturbed areas".

The third party

The Nagas. They are an ethnic group in Manipur that is not only sizeable but being watched with interest in this current theatre of conflict because they have been able to keep themselves unattached, keeping equidistance from both the Meiteis and the Kukis. The Nagas were left untouched by the riotous mobs even in their most aggressive mood. At the same time, the Nagas have done humanitarian service by providing food and clothing to people from across communities who fled to their areas although they opposed the state government's move to set up a semi-permanent relief camp in Naga-majority Ukhrul district for the displaced people of other districts.

The Tangkhul Naga Long, which is the apex Naga organisation in Ukhrul, said the government must work out a policy to accommodate the displaced people in their original place and not scatter them in other places.

While the Nagas have remained neutral, their own political future in Manipur appears dovetailed to what the Kukis get from the government. If a "separate administration" is considered for the Kukis as demanded by all 10 Kuki legislators and various Kuki organisations, the Nagas will not be far behind in demanding their share of rights over their lands. Within the Imphal valley, they still continue to be in an amiable relationship with the majority Meitei community.

The way forward

A return to peace in Manipur is largely in the hands of the Centre. Unless there are major administrative and political decisions by the Narendra Modi government, lasting peace will remain elusive. The Modi government, for instance, has treated the Biren Singh government with kid gloves, it being a BJP government. In fact, a tolerant prime minister has taken the brickbats while keeping Biren free to carry on with his chief ministerial duties. The Centre had formed a peace committee under the chairpersonship of Governor Anusuiya Uikey. But some Meitei leaders named as members refused to be a part of it. The Kukis, too, rejected it, saying they can neither hold talks with the CM nor his government.

The political matrix

The Meiteis are politically dominant. Forty of the state's 60 Assembly seats are in the Imphal valley. The Kukis hold sway in 10 constituencies while the Nagas in as many others. For Singh, if he is seen as pro-Kukis, he and his BJP would lose support in the Imphal valley. As in the present circumstances, if he is seen as pro-Meiteis, there is little likelihood of a political compromise with the Kukis.

4 years on, 370 repeal faces constitutionality test

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With the Supreme Court set to hear a batch of petitions challenging the Centre's reading down of Article 370 and repeal of Article 35A of the Constitution, which gave special powers to Jammu and Kashmir, the matter is back on the front burner. The government in its recent affidavit defended its decision, saying it has had a salutary effect on militancy, development and integration of J&K with the national mainstream. It's undeniable that the overall law and order situation has never been better. Militancy is on the decline. Tourists are thronging the Valley and investment is freely flowing in. J&K has also been free of protests and stone-pelting. Significantly, it was for the first time in over three decades that there was a full academic session in educational institutions in the Valley last year!

On the flipside, the democratic process is yet to be restored. While the three-tier panchayati raj system is in place, the chances of Assembly polls in the near future appear remote. The last Assembly elections in J&K were held in 2014. J&K has been under Central rule since July 19, 2018 when the BJP withdrew from its coalition government with the PDP. The Assembly was subsequently dissolved on November 21, 2018. The current spell of Central rule is the second longest in J&K; the longest was for 81 months from January 19, 1990 to October 9, 1996, when militancy was at its peak.

But the case before the SC is not about the fallout of the 370's abrogation. It's about whether its dismantling was constitutionally kosher. Here's all you need to know to understand the debate.

Origin of Article 370

Kashmir's first prime minister Sheikh Abdullah negotiated J&K's special status in the Indian Constituent Assembly in 1949 on behalf of his princely state's ruler Raja Hari Singh. He wanted only those aspects of the Indian Constitution be made applicable to the state as was agreed upon in the Instrument of Accession signed by the King. Accordingly, Article 370 was introduced as a temporary provision the same year. It restricted the power of Parliament to make laws for J&K, saying it can be done only by the President after consultation with the state government on matters specified in the Instrument of Accession — defence, foreign affairs and communications. For other articles of the statute to apply to J&K, they needed Presidential orders with the concurrence of the state government. The special provisions gave birth to the state Constituent Assembly that crafted a separate J&K constitution. Article 370 was expected to last till the state's constitution was adopted, which happened in 1956. The call had to come from J&K's Constituent Assembly, but it dissolved itself a year later while remaining silent on Article 370. Legal challenges followed, but 370 survived.

Raja Hari Singh had wanted his state to remain independent during partition. But after a Pakistani invasion, he sought India's help and signed the Instrument of Accession on October 26, 1947. All princely states that had acceded to India, had seats at the national Constituent Assembly with the option of framing laws for their respective territories. Most of them went with the subsequently adopted Indian Constitution, but J&K decided otherwise.

What is 35A?

Article 35A is a creature of Article 370. It gave powers to the J&K Assembly to define the state's permanent residents, their special rights and privileges. As per the J&K Constitution, anyone who was a state subject as of May 14, 1954 or a resident of the state for 10 years any time since, was a permanent resident. Permanent residents alone had the right to buy and own property in the state. The legislative intent was to safeguard the cultural values, land and demography. However, critics of 35A hold it responsible for the economic stagnation of the state. The article was inserted through a Presidential order in 1954 instead of an amendment moved through Parliament.

How special status was taken away

The Centre on August 5 and 6, 2019 revoked the special status through two Presidential orders. The first order created an elaborate workaround to neutralise a fail-safe mechanism built into Article 370 through Clause 3, which had made it mandatory for the President of India to seek the concurrence of the Constituent Assembly of the state to amend or revoke the provision. To remove the stumbling block, the order added an interpretation clause of the Constitution in Article 367 to state that the J&K Governor would for the time being be treated as acting on behalf of the elected representatives of the state. It also went on to notify the substitution of the expression, "Constituent Assembly of the state", with the words, "Legislative Assembly of the state" in Article 370. Since J&K was under Central rule at that point in time, the Governor was running it in his capacity as the President's representative. The President used the Governor's concurrence to restructure Article 370. Through that portkey, the second Presidential order made the Constitution of India applicable to J&K in its entirety. It superseded the Constitution (Application to Jammu and Kashmir) Order 1954, which had defined the constitutional position of the J&K vis-a-vis the Indian Union.

Besides, the Centre broke up the state into two Union Territories, J&K and Ladakh, the former with a legislature and the latter without it. Parliament approved resolutions on smoking out 370 and 35A as also bifurcating J&K, with the BJP getting support from parties like the AAP, BSP, JD(U), TDP, YSR Congress, AIADMK BJD and the Shiv Sena. By reducing J&K and Ladakh to UTs, Parliament became their legislature. It went on to accord legislative sanction to all the dramatic changes in J&K's status.

Legal counterpoints

"Article 370 was a self-contained code. It provided for its abrogation/modification as well. It was the only provision that was not subject to the amending powers of the Constitution," according to Hasnain Masoodi, retired J&K High Court judge, who is also a National Conference member of Parliament. He is also one of the petitioners in the case before the SC.

Masoodi's case is that Article 370 could be modified only on the recommendation of J&K Constituent Assembly to the President. The Constituent Assembly, he said, is different from a Legislative Assembly. "The Constituent Assembly creates the Constitution as it has constitutional powers while the Legislative Assembly only has legislative, not constitutional, powers."

Besides, critics argue that taking the Governor's concurrence to nullify 370 since the Assembly had been dissolved would amount to the Centre taking its own consent since gubernatorial appointments are made by the government of the day. Equating the Governor's view with that of the Legislative Assembly would go against the federal spirit enshrined in the Constitution, they reason. Also, making permanent changes to a state under the President's rule without seeking the voters' say is against constitutional ethics, they contend.

Delimitation exercise

The Jammu and Kashmir Reorganisation Act, 2019 was introduced to divide the state into two Union Territories. Drawing powers from that law, the Delimitation Act 2002 was made applicable to J&K. Assembly segments were redrawn to carve out six more seats for the Jammu region and one more for Kashmir. The regions now have 43 and 47 seats, respectively. Also, nine seats were for the first time reserved for the Scheduled Tribes. After the delimitation exercise last year, polls were expected to be announced for the 90-member J&K Assembly. That wait for the democratic exercise is getting longer and longer.

The downside

Because of the huge trust deficit, every government initiative is being looked at with suspicion, especially in the Valley. Politicians see in the implementation of the domicile law, the delimitation exercise, allowing outsiders to buy land in J&K, imposition of property tax, anti-encroachment drive and the recent government decision to allot five marlas of land to the landless and homeless in J&K, a hidden agenda. They fear the actual motive is to change the demography in the Muslim-majority J&K.

The upside

Militancy has indeed declined in Kashmir and encounters, which used to happen daily, now take place occasionally. Only four encounters have taken place in Kashmir this year so far. The local recruitment of militants is down to double digits after it touched a peak of 218 in 2018, according to police data. Separatist voices have gone silent. Almost all the top separatist leaders are in detention. Moderate Hurriyat leader and cleric Mirwaiz Umar Farooq is under 'house arrest' since August 4, 2019 though there is nothing official about it. Other separatist leaders and activists are lying low to avoid arrest. Besides, people in the Valley are looking at Pakistan with suspicion since its then Army chief tried to open a dialogue with India despite the latter throwing 370 out of the window.

Tourism in J&K is booming. It hit an all-time high of over 2.3 million in 2022. Tourism stakeholders expect a further bounce. Before Article 370 was revoked, J&K had overall received nearly ₹15,000 crore investment in 70 years. But after the launch of a new industrial policy following the abrogation of 370, it has drawn investment proposals worth about ₹60,000 crore so far.

SC CASE TIMELINE

December 10, 2019: SC begins hearing four months after the repeal of J&K's special status

March 2, 2020: SC refuses to refer the matter to a seven-judge bench though contrasting opinions were expressed by two coordinate benches of the Supreme Court in the past. In Prem Nath Kaul v State of J&K, the court in 1959 had said Article 370 was temporary. But in Sampath Prakash v State of J&K, another SC bench in 1969 had recognised Article 370 as permanent

July 11, 2023: Constitution bench of the SC lists a batch of pleas challenging the reading down of 370 nearly four years after it happened. The court would hear the matter on a day-to-day basis from August 2, except Mondays and Fridays